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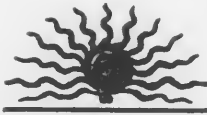
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PLACE AND TIME	BISHOP	SECRETARY.
1—Kansas City, Sept. 27 to Oct. 5, 1871.....	Doggett.....	W. M. Prottzman
2—Nevada, Oct. 2 to Oct. 7, 1872.....	Pierce.....	W. M. Prottzman
3—Springfield, Oct. 1 to Oct. 7, 1873.....	Wightman.....	W. M. Prottzman
4—Lexington, Sept. 30 to Oct. 5, 1874.....	Keener.....	W. M. Prottzman
5—Neosho, Oct. 13 to Oct. 19, 1875.....	Keener.....	W. M. Prottzman
6—Miami, Oct. 18 to Oct. 23, 1876.....	McTyeire.....	C. C. Woods
7—Independence, Sept. 27 to Oct. 2, 1877.....	Marvin.....	C. C. Woods
8—Clinton, Sept. 25 to Oct. 1, 1878.....	Doggett.....	C. C. Woods
9—Kansas City, Oct. 1 to Oct. 6, 1879.....	Wightman.....	C. C. Woods
10—Marshall, Sept. 27 to Oct. 4, 1880.....	Keener.....	C. C. Woods
11—Springfield, Sept. 28 to Oct. 2, 1881.....	Pierce.....	C. C. Woods
12—Nevada, Sept. 27 to Oct. 2, 1882.....	Granbery.....	C. C. Woods
13—Boonville, Sept. 26 to Oct. 1, 1883.....	Wilson.....	C. C. Woods
14—Jefferson City, Oct. 1 to Oct. 6, 1884.....	Parker.....	C. C. Woods
15—Lexington, Sept. 30 to Oct. 5, 1885.....	Granbery.....	C. C. Woods
16—Kansas City, Sept. 29 to Oct. 5, 1886.....	McTyeire.....	C. C. Woods
17—Springfield, Sept. 28 to Oct. 3, 1887.....	Hendrix.....	C. C. Woods
18—Nevada, Oct. 3 to Oct. 8, 1888.....	Hendrix.....	C. C. Woods
19—Marshall, Oct. 2 to Oct. 7, 1889.....	Granbery.....	C. C. Woods
20—Clinton, Sept. 24 to Sept. 29, 1890.....	Key.....	C. C. Woods
21—Sedalia, Sept. 16 to Sept. 21, 1891.....	Hargrove.....	C. C. Woods
22—Independence, Sept. 21 to Sept. 26, 1892.....	Galloway.....	C. C. Woods
23—Boonville, Sept. 20 to Sept. 25, 1893.....	Haygood.....	C. C. Woods
24—Jefferson City, Sept. 19 to Sept. 24, 1894.....	Hendrix.....	C. C. Woods
25—Webb City, Sept. 19 to Sept. 23, 1895.....	Duncan.....	C. C. Woods
26—Nevada, Sept. 16 to Sept. 21, 1896.....	Galloway.....	C. C. Woods
27—Slater, Sept. 22 to Sept. 27, 1897.....	Fitzgerald.....	C. C. Woods
28—Lexington, Sept. 14 to Sept. 19, 1898.....	Candler.....	C. C. Woods
29—Neosho, Sept. 20 to Sept. 25, 1899.....	Granbery.....	C. C. Woods
30—Kansas City, Sept. 26 to Oct. 1, 1900.....	Granbery.....	C. C. Woods
31—Marshall, Sept. 25 to Sept. 30, 1901.....	Candler.....	C. C. Woods
32—Jefferson City, Sept. 17 to Sept. 22, 1902.....	Wilson.....	C. C. Woods
33—Sedalia, Sept. 9 to Sept. 14, 1903.....	Galloway.....	C. C. Woods
34—Springfield, Sept. 14 to Sept. 19, 1904.....	Hendrix.....	C. C. Woods
35—Butler, Sept. 13 to Sept. 18, 1905.....	Hendrix.....	C. C. Woods
36—Joplin, Sept. 12 to Sept. 17, 1906.....	Key.....	C. C. Woods
37—Independence, Sept. 11 to Sept. 16, 1907.....	Key.....	C. C. Woods

ROLL OF MEMBERS

- (a) Indicates Non-attendance.
 * Indicates Superannuated Relation.
 † Indicates Supernumerary Relation.

CLERICAL.

NAMES	WHEN RECEIVED	WHERE	POST-OFFICE
Adkisson, Milton* (a)	1855	St. Louis.	Fayette
Alexander, J. E.	1895	Southwest Mo.	Nevada
Alexander, W. W.	1907	Southwest Mo.	Chilhowee
Allen, R. N.	1900	Southwest Mo.	Marshfield
Alton, B. V.	1887	Southwest Mo.	Lincoln
Bahrenburg, M.* (a)	1887	Southwest Mo.	Otterville
Barnes, A. H.	1891	Southwest Mo.	Marshall
Barrett, W. P.	1891	Southwest Mo.	Linn
Beasley, W. G.	1896	Southwest Mo.	Nevada
Beery, J. K.	1904	Southwest Mo.	Kansas City
Berry, C. C.	1899	Southwest Mo.	
Bewley, W. C.	1883	Southwest Mo.	Morrisville
Blaine, G. M.	1901	Western	Julian, Neb.
Blevans, J. L. D.* (a)	1871	Southwest Mo.	Tipton
Bond, J. W.* (a)	1855	St. Louis.	Brock, Tex.
Brewer, W. A.			
Briggs, C. H.	1870	St. Louis.	415 E. Walnut St., Springfield
Briggs, W. F.†	1881	Southwest Mo.	Pierce City
Brooks, Samuel.	1902	Southwest Mo.	
Bruner, C.	1836	Southwest Mo.	
Buckner, W. P.	1893	Southwest Mo.	Springfield
Bull, W. B.	1899	Southwest Mo.	Calhoun
Burton, F. M.	1894	Southwest Mo.	520 W. 7th, Joplin
Caldwell, J. P.*	1875	Arkansas.	Pineville
Caskey, J. F.	1901	Southwest Mo.	Sedalia
Cayton, S. P.	1888	Southwest Mo.	Malta Bend
Clark, J. M.† (a)	1875	White River.	1406 Wabash, K. C.
Clark, L. F.	1894	Southwest Mo.	Harrisonville
Clayton, T. H.		St. Louis.	Hume
Cleaves, J. H.	1895	Southwest Mo.	10 S. Holmes Rosedale, Kas
Cleaves, C. H.	1907	Southwest Mo.	Seneca
Clendenning, A. C.			Passaic
Cobb, T. M.	1866	St. Louis.	Belton
Cobb, T. P.	1874	Southwest Mo.	Pilot Grove
Cobb, W. B.	1880	Southwest Mo.	Corder
Coffman, G. L.† (a)	1901	Southwest Mo.	
Comer, W. H.			Warrensburg
Crutsinger, V. M.	1882	Southwest Mo.	Russellville
Day, C. B.	1904	Southwest Mo.	Ozark
Diggs, J. C.	1895	Southwest Mo.	Sweet Springs
Dowdy, N. M.	1881	Southwest Mo.	Bates City
Eastwood, W. T.*	1881	Southwest Mo.	Oak Grave
Edwards, L. B.		Southwest Mo.	Lamar
Ellis, J. B.	1876	Southwest Mo.	Springfield
Ezell, J. W.	1883	Southwest Mo.	Arrow Rock
Faris, A. R.	1876	Tennessee.	Independence
Flummer, R. G.	1880	West Virginia.	Pleasant Hill
Foote, U. G.			Jefferson City
Gearheard, A. J.	1906	Southwest Mo.	Jerico
Gill, W. T.* (a)	1872	Tennessee.	Belfast, Tenn.
Godbey, A. H.	1895	Southwest Mo.	Morrisville
Gordon, F. E.	1901	Southwest Mo.	Windsor
Green, G. H.	1890	Southwest Mo.	Montevallo

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Hagler, J. L.*	1871	Southwest Mo.	Tulsa, Ok.
Hargis, J. R.	1889	Southwest Mo.	Moundville
Hargis, G. E.	1907	Southwest Mo.	Blendville
Hargrove, W. H.	1901	Southwest Mo.	Rich Hill
Harney, J. E.	1890	Southwest Mo.	South Greenfield
Harris, T. B.	1890	Southwest Mo.	Garden City
Haynes, J. G.	1894	Illinois.	Council Grove
Heslar, W. H.	1891	Southwest Mo.	Miami
Hill, J. J.	1882	Southwest Mo.	Longwood
Hill, W. C.	1891	Southwest Mo.	Joplin
Houston, A. L.* (a)	1881	Southwest Mo.	
Hogan, H. D.*			Elkhart, Tex.
Huffine, T. A.	1905	Southwest Mo.	East Lynne
Huffine, H. D.	1905	Southwest Mo.	Kansas City
Hunter, R. S.	1858	Tennessee.	Morrisville
James, A. N.	1893	Southwest Mo.	Kansas City, Kas.
Jared, J. A.	1887	Southwest Mo.	Atchison Kas.
Karr, Ira.			Bronson, Kas.
Kellar, J. J.	1882	Southwest Mo.	Bolivar
Kelley, W. D.			Bunceton
Keys, S. G.	1899	Southwest Mo.	Carthage
King, Joseph*	1860	Western.	Nevada
Kyle, R. J.	1895	Southwest Mo.	Willard
Landreth, J. D.* (a)	1856	St. Louis.	Morrisville
Larkin, M.	1888	East Columbia.	Arrington
Linn, P. H.		Missouri.	Kansas City
Loch, G. C.	1900	Southwest Mo.	Fairmount, Kas.
Long, Perry* (a)	1889	Southwest Mo.	California
Loyall, J. T.*	1881	Louisville.	Jerico.
Lyon, R. F.			Corbin, Kas.
Marshall, A. L.	1901	Southwest Mo.	Kansas City
Matthews, J. A.* (a)	1880	Southwest Mo.	Pittsburg, Mo.
Miller, H. I.			Richards
Mitchell, J. G. L.*	1885	Southwest Mo.	Morrisville
Monroe, J. M.	1907	Southwest Mo.	Ash Grove
Moore, A. G.*	1887	Southwest Mo.	
Moore, C. W.	1894	Southwest Mo.	Institution Church, K. C.
Morgan, W. B.* (a)	1889	Southwest Mo.	Morrisville
Morris, J. C.		Louisville.	Kansas City
McAllister, W. M.* (a)	1876	Southwest Mo.	Tulsa, Ok.
McClanahan, W. A.	1894	Southwest Mo.	Webb City
McClure, W. T.*	1882	Southwest Mo.	Nevada
McDonald, J. E.	1891	Southwest Mo.	Marshall
McMurray, J. R.		Missouri.	Lee's Summitt
McGuire, W. L.	1882	Southwest Mo.	Jerico
McVoy, E. C.	1891	North Texas.	26th & Troost, K. C.
Norfleet, L. P.	1876	Southwest Mo.	Lebanon
Ogden, J. W.		Illinois.	Archie
Orear, E. H.	1904	Southwest Mo.	Carterville
Owen, J. E.			Newtonia
Owen, J. W.			Oak Grove
Palmore, W. B.	1887	Southwest Mo.	1414 Locust St., St. Louis
Patison, Alonzo.	1896	Southwest Mo.	Peculiar
Pattillo, C. E.	1886	North Georgia.	Lexington
Payne, T. D.	1869	St. Louis.	Dover
Payne, J. W.	1878	Missouri.	White Church, Kas.
Philips, L. M.	1874	Southwest Mo.	Oterville.
Pike, J. F.† (a)	1876	Louisville.	Waternvalley, Tex.
Pike, W. G.	1887	Southwest Mo.	Morrisville
Pinnell, L. L.			Elwood

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Pritchett, J. T.	1905	Southwest Mo.	Higginsville
Pryor, C. F.	1902	Southwest Mo.	Montserratt
Puckett, T. C.	1886	North Georgia	Bucyrus
Pyle, R. L.	1896	Southwest Mo.	R. F. D. 3, K. C.
Rader, W. M.	1891	Southwest Mo.	Slater
Ragsdale, S. A.	1907	Southwest Mo.	Duenwig
Raney, E. T. (a)	1900	Southwest Mo.	Fayette
Rawlings, J. C.	1899	Louisville	Institutional Church, K. C.
Rickman, O. M.	1897	Southwest Mo.	Kansas City
Riley, J. W.	1906	Southwest Mo.	Spruce
Salley, Henry	1907	Southwest Mo.	Crocker
Saylor, J. C.	1903	Southwest Mo.	Odessa
Scarritt, C. W.†	1895	Southwest Mo.	Kansas City
Scrivenor, C. N.	1891	Southwest Mo.	Monett
Shackelford, J. C.*	1854	St. Louis	Sweet Springs
Shemwell, R. W.			Sarcoie
Shook, Jacob (a)	1889	Southwest Mo.	Fair Grove
Shook, L. F.	1899	Southwest Mo.	Neosho
Slipher, D. I.	1907	Southwest Mo.	Glensted
Smith, W. A.			Lowry City
Smith, W. H.	1907	Southwest Mo.	California
Smith, W. M. (a)	1906	Southwest Mo.	
Sooter, M. M.	1907	Southwest Mo.	Jasper
Spencer, Joab* (a)	1855	Missouri	Slater
Stewart, W. D.*	1857	St. Louis	
Strong, J. R.	1891	Southwest Mo.	El Dorado Springs
Suddath, W. H.	1891	Southwest Mo.	Blue Springs
Sullens, J. L.	1889	Southwest Mo.	Springfield
Swanson, E. E.	1897	Southwest Mo.	Nevada
Swanson, A. S.	1906	Southwest Mo.	Nevada
Swinney, J. B.	1904	Southwest Mo.	Independence
Thorpe, C. W.* (a)			Maryville
Tillery, J.* (a)			Buffalo
Troutman, W. O.	1904	St. Louis	Kickapoo, Kas.
Vandiver, L. H.*	1880	Southwest Mo.	Fayette
Vivian, O. E.	1895	Southwest Mo.	Butler
Wagoner, W. F.	1878	Southwest Mo.	Longwood
Wallace, C. T.	1885	Southwest Mo.	R. F. D. 1, K. C.
Warren, G. J.		Missouri	Lee's Summitt
Welborn, S. G.	1891	Southwest Mo.	Lamont
White, W. K.* (a)	1879	Southwest Mo.	
Williams, Z. M.	1884	Missouri	Kansas City
Winton, W. H.	1885	Southwest Mo.	Boonville
Wolfe, E. K.	1893	Southwest Mo.	Gilliam
Wood, H. A.	1896	Southwest Mo.	Clinton
Wood, I. E.	1906	Southwest Mo.	Lone Jack
Wood, J. D.	1871	Southwest Mo.	Buckner
Wood, T. P. (a)	1899	Southwest Mo.	Fayette
Woodward, W. S.*	1850	St. Louis	
Woods, C. C.	1867	St. Louis	St. Louis
Wyatt, U. V.		Indian Mission	Mt. Washington

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Stephen A. Blakey..	Not Known.....	1833.....	March 29, 1871....	1850.....	2.....	St. Clair County, Mo.
Newton G. Herryman	Kentucky.....	Not known.....	December, 1871..	Not known.		Glasgow, Mo.
Nathaniel M. Talbot.	Shelby County, Ky.	March 17, 1805....	July, 1872.....	1825.....	47.....	Near Arrow Rock, Mo.
John Monroe.....	Scotland.....	1803.....	October 3, 1873..	1836.....	37.....	Cooper County, Mo.
S. S. Colburn.....	Green County, Tenn.	May 1, 1807.....	August 26, 1875..	1835.....	40.....	Otterville, Mo.
John N. Reed.....	Cass County, Mo.	September 28, 1848.	June, 1875.....	1872.....	3.....	Bethel, Mo.
Warren Wharton...	Gilford County, N. C.	March 5, 1820....	December 12, 1875	1843.....	32.....	Salem, Mo.
George C. Knowles...	Tennessee.....	June 1, 1830.....	April 2, 1876....	1857.....	25.....	Sarcoxie, Mo.
Nathan T. Shaler...	Connecticut.....	November 13, 1806.	February 5, 1879..	1842.....	18.....	Cass County, Mo.
Williamson Harris...	North Carolina.....	May 25, 1823.....	March 25, 1879....	1853.....	20.....	Carthage, Mo.
Samuel S. Bryant...	New England.....	August 4, 1809....	December 28, 1879	1832.....	29.....	Independence, Mo.
Thomas Wallace.....	Bath County, Va.	July 26, 1807.....	April 22, 1880....	1828.....	40.....	Independence, Mo.
Henry W. Webster...	Chenango County, N. Y.	April 4, 1812.....	April 20, 1880....	1855.....	12.....	Neosho, Mo.
D. A. McKnight.....	Giles County, Tenn.	November 1, 1830..	Nov. 18, 1880....	1856.....	18.....	Texas, Mo.
C. F. Dryden.....	Washington County, Va.	May 20, 1809.....	November 21, 1882	1836.....	19.....	Grayson County, Tex.
J. R. Bennett.....	Virginia.....	1814.....	1883.....	1836.....		Council Grove, Kan.
George W. Horn.....	Logan County, Ky.	July 24, 1839.....	August 17, 1884..	1857.....	26.....	Boonville, Mo.
W. M. Pitts.....	Logan County, Ky.	1810.....	February, 1885....	1843.....	31.....	Blackwater Ch. Mo.
J. B. H. Wooldridge.	Nelson County, Va.	February 21, 1825..	June 9, 1885.....	1845.....	35.....	Gunn City, Mo.
William Holmes.....	Harrison County, Ky.	March 2, 1814.....	1888.....	1841.....	12.....	Kansas City, Mo.
W. W. Jones.....	Cynthiana, Ky.	May 23, 1822.....	October 16, 1888..	1843.....	28.....	Aulville, Mo.
R. Minshall.....	Ohio.....	January 10, 1813..	July 13, 1889....	1847.....	27.....	Walker, Mo.
James C. Daily.....	Green County, Tenn.	September 1, 1825..	December 3, 1889..	1871.....		Texas.
J. H. Todd.....	Christian County, Ky.	April 19, 1865....	October 10, 1889..	1884.....		Carthage, Mo.
Josiah Godbey.....	Kentucky.....	June 30, 1817.....	April 20, 1890....	1841.....		Otterville, Mo.
J. T. Peery.....	Taswell County, Va.	February 18, 1817..	June 5, 1890.....	1838.....		Drakes Chapel
E. G. Frazier.....	Wilson County, Tenn.	July 1, 1843.....	August 21, 1891..	1867.....	24.....	Waverly, Mo.
Rush McDonald.....	Edinburgh, Mo.	June 22, 1857.....	June 20, 1891....	1880.....	9.....	Edmond, Oklahoma.
W. W. Jared.....	Jackson County, Tenn.	July 1, 1849.....	December 10, 1891	1868.....	21.....	Malta Bend, Mo.
J. M. Kelly.....	Robinson County, Tenn.	November 20, 1813.	January 31, 1892..	1842.....	19.....	Windsor, Mo.
Preston Phillips...	Boone County, Mo.	February 6, 1829....	July 22, 1892....	1857.....	27.....	Independence, Mo.
V. J. Sevier.....	Morgan County, Ill.	August 3, 1839....	April 2, 1892.....	1875.....	17.....	Montrose, Mo.
G. M. Winton.....	Roan County, Tenn.	December 25, 1821..	September 4, 1892	1852.....	40.....	Hickory Grove, Mo.
James McGehee.....	Lincoln County, Tenn.	October 10, 1822....	September 1, 1895.	1854.....	19.....	Pennsborough
A. M. Rader.....	Nicholas County, Va.	March 26, 1824....	June 1, 1886.....	1853.....	21.....	Marshall, Mo.
W. M. Bewley.....	Green County, Tenn.	March 2, 1842.....	July 7, 1898.....	1867.....	24.....	Neosho, Mo.
M. M. Pugh.....	Buncombe County, N. C.	September 26, 1830.		1853.....	44.....	Independence, Mo.
J. F. Hogan.....	Montgomery Co., Tenn.	January 5, 1833....	August 7, 1899....	1866.....	31.....	Windsor, Mo.
T. J. Stringfield...	Brown County, Ill.	July 4, 1831.....	August, 1899.....	1870.....	18.....	Not known.
J. K. Matthews.....	England.....	1851.....	January 8, 1899....	1882.....	16.....	Niangua.
M. Duren.....	Warsaw, Mo.	September 10, 1834.	January 23, 1901..	1858.....	30.....	Kansas City, Mo.
N. A. Au'd.....	Martinsville, Ill.	December 21, 1844..	December 1, 1901..	1873.....	28.....	Lowry City, Mo.
J. M. Proctor.....	Jassamine County, Ky.	January 8, 1823....	September 18, 1902	1846.....	37.....	Buffalo, Mo.
Wm. M. Prottzman...	Marietta, Ohio.....	February 19, 1817..	October 27, 1902..		60.....	Boonville, Mo.
W. B. McFarland...	Indiana County, Penn.	February 9, 1820....	June 8, 1904.....			Corder, Mo.
Wm. J. Brown.....	Cumberland County, Va.	August 19, 1814....	January 1, 1905....	1842.....	62.....	Malta Bend, Mo.
L. W. Pearce.....	West Tenn.....	July 29, 1839.....	January 1, 1905....	1871.....	33.....	Neosho, Mo.
John Y. Busby.....	Owen County, Ind.	May 29, 1846.....	February 20, 1906.	1873.....	34.....	Nevada, Mo.
J. P. Barnaby.....	Clark County, Mo.	August 16, 1818....	December 16, 1905	1856.....	62.....	Eldorado Springs, Mo.
L. R. Downing.....	Lincoln County, Mo.	October 8, 1832....	October 31, 1902..	1857.....	19.....	Kansas City, Mo.
J. F. Robb.....	Pontotoc, Miss.	April 8, 1838.....	January 17, 1903..		32.....	Pierce City.

NAME	NATIVITY	WHEN BORN	DIED	WHERE BURIED
H. N. Watts.....	Crawford Co., Ill.....	November 8, 1820.....	October 11, 1906.....	..... Mineola, Texas
S. C. Coss.....	Green Co., Penn.....	March 23, 1840.....	October 15, 1906.....	..... Lexington, Missouri
J. amuel Loff.....	Hickory Co., Mo.....	June 2, 1845.....	February 20, 1907.....	..... Clarksville, "
J. T. Swanson.....	Bradley Co., Tenn.....	March 9, 1867.....	March 19, 1907..... " "
J. C. Given.....	Cleck's Mill, Va.....	March 21, 1845.....	April 27, 1907.....	..... Harri-onville, "

SAINTED HEROINES

Deceased Wives of Members of the Southwest Missouri Conference.

"THESE ALL DIED IN FAITH"

NAME	NATIVITY	WHEN BORN	DIED	WHERE BURIED
Mary Francis Yocum-Blevans.....	Washington County, Ky.....	May 10, 1840.....	August 8, 1872.....	..... Nevada, Missouri
Cornelia Nicolds-Briggs.....	Glasgow, Mo.....	January 31, 1849.....	August 14, 1874.....	..... Harrisonville, "
Eliza H. Sutherland-Bryant.....	Franklin County, Va.....	April 21, 1815.....	January 30, 1875.....	..... Independence, "
Emma Vroom-Poage.....	New Jersey.....	September 23, 1849.....	September 6, 1878.....	..... Huntsville, "
Eveline F. Coss.....	Shenadoah County, Va.....	November 28, 1846.....	February 19, 1879.....	..... Moundville, "
Nellie R. Cloudsley Adkisson.....	Lexington, Mo.....	October 27, 1842.....	October 27, 1881.....	..... Lexington, "
Mollie E. Fuqua-Davis.....	Keytesville, Mo.....	September 6, 1852.....	September 9, 1881.....	..... Kinmundy, Illinois
Lydia Ann Porter-Webster.....	Connecticut.....	May 20, 1812.....	March 20, 1881.....	..... Neosho, Missouri
Mary Vance-Vandiver.....	Virginia.....	November 14, 1834.....	January 23, 1885.....	..... Fayette, "
Ophelia Abernathy McClure.....	Green County, Mo.....	August 25, 1859.....	January 20, 1887.....	..... Lexington, "
Barbary Charlton-Todd.....	Newcastle-on-Tyne, England.....	.....	January 11, 1888.....	..... St. Joseph, "
Mattie A. Myers-Horn.....	Boonville, Mo.....	.....	August 4, 1889.....	..... Boonville, "
Mary A. Given.....	Bath County, Va.....	October 2, 1842.....	March 16, 1890.....	..... Harrisonville, "
Lizzie C. Davis-Cobb.....	Lafayette County, Mo.....	December 27, 1850.....	April 21, 1892.....	..... Lexington, "
Susie Edwards-Reed.....	Williamson County, Ill.....	September 20, 1861.....	February 17, 1892.....	..... Morrisville, "
Mrs. N. A. Auld.....	Schuyler County, Ill.....	March 30, 1857.....	June 30, 1895.....	..... Henry County, "
Mrs. J. A. Swift.....	.....	.....	.....	..... Clear Creek, "
Mrs. W. B. McFarland.....	Franklin County, Va.....	May 10, 1828.....	May 18, 1896.....	..... Corder, "
Mrs. A. R. Faris.....	Maury County, Tenn.....	June 24, 1857.....	September 12, 1896.....	..... Lexington, "
Mrs. W. T. Gill.....	.....	.....	.....	..... Otterville, "
Mrs. R. J. Nelson.....	Virginia.....	1852.....	1899..... " "
Mrs. R. Duren.....	.....	.....	September 1, 1901.....	..... Kansas City, Missouri
Mrs. Sarah J. Eastwood.....	Dover, Lafayette County, Mo.....	November 9, 1839.....	March 5, 1902.....	..... Oak Grove, "
Mrs. Mary R. Frazier.....	Butler, Bates County, Mo.....	September 26, 1849.....	July 16, 1902.....	..... Sedalia, "
Evlin J. Bond.....	Platte County, Mo.....	.....	.....	..... Morrisville, "
Sarah McGehee.....	.....	.....	.....	..... Pennsborough, "
Mrs. L. A. Watts.....	St. Louis County, Mo.....	.....	.....	..... Nevada, "
Mrs. Eliza B. Payne.....	Carrol County, Ga.....	March 4, 1840.....	October 19, 1904.....	..... Oak Grove, "
Mrs. M. A. Patison.....	Carrol County, Va.....	September 3, 1879.....	July 24, 1905.....	..... Montrose, "
Mrs. Keys.....	.....	.....	.....	..... " "
Mrs. Anna Lewis Protsman.....	Virginia.....	.....	July, 1906.....	..... Boonville, "
Mrs. Clara Hogan.....	Bellville, Ill.....	March 25, 1853.....	March 25, 1906..... " "
Mrs. Fannie L. Pike.....	Carrolton, Missouri.....	April 10, 1867.....	November 3, 1906.....	..... Independence,, "

DISCIPLINARY QUESTIONS

1. Who are admitted on trial? David I. Slipper, Charles H. Cleaves, George E. Hargis, Merritt M. Sooter, John M. Monroe, William W. Alexander, Henry Salley, Walter H. Smith, Stephen A. Ragsdale.
2. Who remain on trial? Isaac E. Wood, Alvin J. Gearheard, Wesley M. Smith, John K. Beery.
3. Who are discontinued? W. D. Amack, L. B. Cotterman, C. B. Cotterman.
4. Who are admitted into full connection? Ira Karr, Herbert J. Rand, Hermon D. Huffine, Thomas A. Huffine, John T. Pritchett.
5. Who are re-admitted? W. P. Barrett.
6. Who are received by transfer from other conferences? J. C. Morris, W. A. Smith, J. W. Owen, H. A. Wood, J. C. Rawlings, J. R. McMurry.
7. Who are the deacons of one year? Creed B. Day, James P. Swinney, Errell H. Orear, Samuel Brooks.
8. What traveling preachers are elected deacons? John T. Pritchett, Herbert J. Rand.
9. What traveling preachers are ordained deacons? John T. Pritchett, Herbert J. Rand.
10. What local preachers are elected deacons? George E. Hargis, Charles H. Cleaves.
11. What local preachers are ordained deacons? George E. Hargis, Charles H. Cleaves, W. D. Amack.
12. What traveling preachers are elected elders? James Clyde Saylor, Robert N. Allen.
13. What traveling preachers are ordained elders? James Clyde Saylor, Robert N. Allen.
14. What local preachers are elected elders? None.
15. What local preachers are ordained elders? None.
16. Who are located this year? Charles Frankline at his own request.
17. Who are supernumerary? G. L. Coffman, C. W. Scarritt, J. M. Clark, W. F. Briggs, J. F. Pike.
18. Who are superannuated? M. Adkisson, J. W. Bond, W. T. Gill, J. P. Landreth, W. D. Stewart, W. S. Woodard, J. Tillery, W. L. McGuire, J. A. Matthews, M. Bahrenburg, J. P. Caldwell, J. L. Hagler, J. G. L. Mitchell, J. C. Shackelford, L. H. Vandiver, J. T. Loyall, W. B. Morgan, A. L. Houston, J. L. D. Blevans, W. T. Eastwood, Joseph King, W. M. McAllister, J. Spencer, H. D. Hogan, C. W. Thorpe, Perry Long, A. G. Moore, W. K. White.
19. What preachers have died during the year? J. C. Given, J. C. Coss, J. T. Swanson, Samuel Lopp, H. N. Watts.
20. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration? One by one the names of all the preachers were called and their characters duly passed.
21. What is the number of local preachers and members in the several circuits, stations and missions of the Conference? Local preachers, 87; members 35,268.
22. How many infants have been baptized during the year? 232.
23. How many adults have been baptized during the year? 1178.
24. What is the number of Epworth Leagues? 163.
25. What is the number of Epworth League members? 5,261.
26. What is the number of Sunday Schools? 316½.
27. What is the number of Sunday School officers and teachers? 2,962.
28. What is the number of Sunday School scholars enrolled during the year? 24,985.
29. What amount was assessed by the last Conference for the superannuated preachers and the widows and orphans of preachers? Five per cent of preachers' and presiding elders' salary, or \$5,034.39.
30. What has been collected on the foregoing account and how has it been applied? \$6,488.46. See report of Joint Board.
31. What has been contributed for Missions? Foreign, \$7,983.77; Domestic, \$6,691.58.
32. What has been contributed for Church Extension? \$2,860.83.
33. What has been contributed for the American Bible Society? \$295.61.
34. What has been contributed for the support of presiding elders and preachers in charge? Presiding elders, \$11,535.57; preachers in charge, \$91,518.85.
35. What has been contributed for the support of Bishops? \$1,557.93.
36. What is the number of societies and of houses of worship owned by them? Societies, 395; houses of worship, 365¾.
37. What is the value of houses of worship and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$1,700,474; indebtedness, \$60,743.

38. What is the number of pastoral charges, and of parsonages owned by them? Charges, 158; parsonages, 129.

39. What is the value of parsonages and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$185,199; indebtedness, \$15,900.

40. What is the number of districts and of district parsonages? Districts, 7; parsonages, 0.

41. What is the value of district parsonages, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, 0; indebtedness, 0.

42. What number of churches have been damaged or destroyed during the year by fire or storm, and what is the amount of damage? Number damaged, 6; amount of damage, \$593.60.

43. What are the insurance statistics? Insurance, \$478,025; premium, \$2,298.89; collection on losses, \$644.76.

44. What are the educational statistics? See Board of Education report.

45. Where shall the next session of the Conference be held? Warnesburg.

46. Where are the preachers stationed this year? See appointments.

APPOINTMENTS

KANSAS CITY DISTRICT.

A. R. Faris, P. E. (1).
 Kansas City-Central.....Paul H. Linn (3)
 Kansas City-Melrose.....J. C. Morris (1)
 C. W. Scarritt, Supy.
 Kansas City-Troost.....E. C. McVoy (4)
 Kansas City-Olive.....Z. M. Williams (1)
 J. M. Clark, Supy.
 Kansas City-Westport.....O. M. Rickman (1)
 Kansas City-Institutional
 (Superintendent) C. W. Moore (5)
 Kansas City-Institutional
 Pastor, J. C. Rawlings (1)
 Kansas City-Cleveland Ave.....A. L. Marshall (1)
 Kansas City-Garland Ave.....H. D. Huffine (1)
 Kansas City-Mt. Washington.....U. V. Wyatt (4)
 Kansas City-Dallas and Martin.....C. T. Wallace (1)
 Kansas City-Swope Park.....R. L. Pyle (4)
 Kansas City-Drakemore.....J. K. Beery (1)
 Independence.....E. E. Swanson (1)
 Independence Circuit.....J. B. Swinney (2)
 Belton.....T. M. Cobb (2)
 Harrisonville.....L. F. Clark (2)
 Pleasant Hill.....R. G. Flummer (2)
 Lee's Summit.....J. R. McMurray (1)
 Lone Jack Circuit.....I. E. Wood (2)
 Oak Grove and Pleasant Prairie.....J. O. Owen (1)
 Blue Springs Circuit.....W. H. Suddath (2)
 Peculiar Circuit.....Alonzo Patison (2)
 Garden City Circuit.....T. B. Harris (3)
 Daugherty Circuit.....T. A. Huffine (1)
 Editor St. Louis Christian Advocate. W. B. Palmore

LEXINGTON DISTRICT.

G. J. Warren, P. E. (2).
 Lexington.....C. E. Pattillo (2)
 Waverly.....H. J. Rand (1)
 Higginsville.....J. T. Pritchett (1)
 Warrensburg.....W. H. Comer (2)
 Lamont and Dresden.....S. G. Welborn (1)
 Dover and Providence.....T. D. Payne (2)
 Corder and Blackburn.....W. B. Cobb (2)
 Odessa and Wellington.....J. C. Saylor (2)
 Sweet Springs and Blackwater.....J. C. Diggs (1)
 Houstonia and Herndon.....W. F. Wagoner (1)
 Longwood and High Point.....J. J. Hill (1)
 Montserrat Circuit.....C. F. Pryor (2)
 Mayview Circuit.....Supplied by H. N. Johnson (1)
 Bates City Circuit.....N. M. Dowdy (2)
 Buckner Circuit.....J. D. Wood (2)
 Otterville Circuit.....L. M. Phillips (2)
 Green Ridge Circuit.....Calhoun Bruner (2)
 Sedalia.....J. F. Caskey (2)
 Lincoln and Prairie Chapel.....B. V. Alton (3)
 Warsaw Circuit.....H. P. Tuck, supply (1)
 Conference Secretary Education.....C. E. Pattillo

MARSHALL DISTRICT.

A. H. Barnes, P. E. (1).
 Marshall.....J. E. McDonald (2)
 Malta Bend and Grand Pass.....S. P. Clayton (2)
 Miami and Mount Carmel.....W. H. Heslear (2)
 Gilliam and Cambridge.....E. K. Wolfe (2)
 Slater.....W. M. Rader (2)
 Orearville and Shiloh.....
 W. W. Richardson, supply (1)
 Arrow Rock and Smith's Chapel.....J. W. Ezell (1)
 Nelson Circuit.....E. T. Raney (2)
 Booneville.....W. H. Winton (2)
 Pilot Grove and Pleasant Green.....T. P. Cobb (2)
 Bunceton and Bell Air.....W. D. Kelly (2)
 Glensted Circuit.....D. I. Slipper (3)
 Vienna Circuit.....W. M. King (1)
 Myrene Mission.....J. S. Wilcox, supply (1)
 Versailles.....W. C. Bewley (1)
 California Circuit.....W. H. Smith (2)
 Jamestown Circuit.....E. A. Hunter, supply (1)
 Russellville Circuit.....A. V. Crutsinger (2)
 Jefferson and West End.....U. G. Foote (2)
 Linn Circuit.....W. P. Barrett (1)
 Chamois Circuit.....J. N. Broadhead (1)
 Student Central College.....E. T. Raney

NEVADA DISTRICT.

W. G. Beasley, P. E. (1).
 Nevada-Centenary.....W. T. McClure (2)
 Nevada-Austin and West Arch.....A. S. Swanson (1)
 Sheldon and Marvin.....C. C. Beery (1)
 Moundville Circuit.....J. R. Hargis (2)
 Richards and Stotesbury.....H. I. Miller (1)
 Hume and Underwood.....T. H. Clayton (3)
 Sprague Circuit.....To be supplied
 Rich Hill.....W. H. Hargrove (1)
 Butler.....O. E. Vivian (1)
 Passaic Circuit.....A. C. Clendenning (1)

Archie Circuit.....J. W. Ogden (1)
 Spruce Circuit.....J. W. Riley (2)
 Chilhowee Circuit.....W. W. Alexander (1)
 Huntingdale and Drake.....J. K. Speer (1)
 Windsor.....F. E. Gordon (3)
 Windsor Circuit.....To be supplied
 Calhoun and Hickory.....W. B. Bull (1)
 Clinton.....H. A. Wood (1)
 Montrose Circuit.....To be supplied
 Appleton City Circuit.....A. S. Myers, supply
 El Dorado Springs.....J. R. Strong (2)
 Student at Central College.....T. P. Wood
 Conference Missionary Evangelist J. E. Alexander

CARTHAGE DISTRICT.

W. C. Hill, P. E. (4).
 Carthage.....S. G. Keys (2)
 Carterville.....E. H. Orear (1)
 Webb City.....W. A. McClanahan (1)
 Joplin.....F. M. Burton (2)
 Blendville and West Side.....G. E. Hargis (1)
 Neosho.....L. F. Shook (1)
 Seneca and Racine.....C. H. Cleaves (1)
 Diamond.....To be supplied
 Duenwig Circuit.....S. A. Ragsdale (1)
 Newtonia Circuit.....J. E. Owen (2)
 Pineville Circuit.....J. C. Crum, supply (1)
 Southwest City Circuit.....To be supplied
 Jasper Circuit.....M. M. Sooter (1)
 Sarcoux Circuit.....R. W. Shemwell (1)
 Pierce City Circuit.....Supplied by W. F. Briggs (1)
 Monett.....C. N. Scrivener (2)
 Cassville Circuit.....Peter Sinclair (2)
 Miller Circuit.....S. J. Stonger (1)
 Lawrenceburg Circuit.....To be supplied
 South Greenfield Circuit.....J. E. Harkey, supply
 Jerico.....A. J. Gearheard (2)
 Jerico Circuit.....P. J. Foust (1)
 Montevallo Circuit.....G. H. Green (1)
 Lamar Circuit.....L. B. Edwards (1)
 Powell Circuit.....B. L. Ellis, supply
 Student Vanderbilt.....Wesley M. Smith

SPRINGFIELD DISTRICT.

W. P. Buckner, P. E. (2).
 Springfield-St. Paul's.....C. H. Briggs (2)
 Springfield-Campbell Street.....J. L. Sullens (1)
 Springfield-Dale Street.....J. B. Ellis (1)
 Elwood Circuit.....L. L. Pinnell (1)
 Willard and Ebenezer.....R. J. Kyle (1)
 Morrisville.....R. S. Hunter (1)
 Morrisville Circuit.....W. G. Pike (1)
 Fair Grove Circuit.....Jacob Shook (1)
 Ash Grove and Aldrich.....J. M. Monroe (1)
 Ozark Circuit.....C. B. Day (2)
 Highlandville Circuit.....To be supplied
 Mountain Grove and Norwood.....To be supplied
 Marshfield.....R. N. Allen (1)
 Marshfield Circuit.....L. N. Pollock, supply
 Buffalo Circuit.....Sam Brooks (1)
 Niangua Circuit.....W. A. Brewer (1)
 Lebanon.....L. P. Norfleet (1)
 Stoutland Circuit.....F. W. Fesperman, supply (1)
 Dixon and Waynesville.....H. W. Bostwick, supply
 Crocker Circuit.....Henry Salley (1)
 Lowry City Circuit.....W. A. Smith (1)
 Roscoe Circuit.....E. W. Parker, supply (1)
 Cross Timbers Circuit.....C. J. Polston, supply
 Bolivar and Walnut Grove.....J. J. Keller (1)
 Competition Circuit.....J. W. Barlow, supply
 Hermitage Circuit.....J. H. Peck, supply
 Assistant Editor St. Louis Christian Advo-
 cate.....C. C. Woods
 President Morrisville College.....A. H. Godbey

WESTERN DISTRICT.

J. H. Cleaves, P. E. (1).
 Kansas City, Kas.....A. N. James (2)
 Rosedale and Bell View.....
 C. W. Litchfield, supply (2)
 Wyandotte Circuit.....J. W. Payne (2)
 Julian Circuit.....G. M. Blaine (1)
 Fairmount Circuit.....G. C. Loch (2)
 Arrington Circuit.....M. Larkin (1)
 Kickapoo and Potter.....W. O. Troutman (1)
 Cummins Circuit.....C. B. Snapp, supply
 Atchison Circuit.....J. A. Jared (2)
 Council Grove and Arkansas City.....J. G. Haynes (1)
 Kelso Circuit.....To be supplied
 Augusta Circuit.....W. E. Tull, supply
 Elk City Circuit.....To be supplied
 Bucyrus and Stillwell.....T. C. Puckett (3)
 Hillsdale Circuit.....S. A. Borland, supply
 Corbin Circuit.....R. F. Lyon (2)
 Bronson Circuit.....Ira Karr (2)

Transfers: I. A. Smith to the Denver Conference; E. Y. Ginn to the Missouri Conference; C. L. Stouffer to the Missouri Conference; S. W. Emory to the Missouri Conference; J. B. Game to the St. Louis Conference; S. M. Godbey to the Memphis Conference; W. T. Hale to the West Texas Conference; B. A. McKnight to the Missouri Conference; J. J. Pritchett to the Los Angeles Conference.

MINUTES OF THE CONFERENCE

MORNING SESSION, SEPT. 11TH, 1907, FIRST DAY.

The Thirty-Seventh Annual Session of the Southwest Missouri Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, was opened in the church at Independence, Missouri, on Wednesday morning at nine o'clock, September the 11th, 1907, with sacramental service conducted by Bishop Joseph S. Key. After this service, the Bishop opened the business of the Conference, and Doctor C. C. Woods, Secretary of the former session called the roll. One hundred and five of the clerical members responded to their names as they were called, and ten of the lay members. See roll.

The former secretarial force was re-elected, and Doctor C. W. Moore was elected editor of the Conference Minutes. The hours from 9 to 12 a. m. were fixed for the business session.

The usual nomination of committees was submitted by W. A. McClanahan on behalf of the Presiding Elders, and the nominations were confirmed by the Conference.

E. B. Crooks from the mission field in Brazil and Miss Gibson of the Scarritt Training School were introduced; also several brethren from the Missouri Conference.

Reports severally from the Publishing House, the Sunday School Board, the Board of Education, the Board of Church Extension, the General Secretary of Epworth Leagues, the Board of Missions, the Trustees of the Superannuate Endowment Fund, Lexington College for Women, were properly referred without reading. The report from Central College was read by the Secretary, and then referred.

Rev. C. C. McGinley, pastor of the Presbyterian Church at Independence, was introduced to the Conference.

The Bishop then took up the Twentieth Question, "Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration?" G. J. Warren, R. S. Hunter, W. A. McClanahan, W. C. Hill, W. P. Buckner, were called, and their characters having passed, they made brief reports of their work as Presiding Elders.

M. Adkisson, J. W. Bond, W. T. Gill, J. D. Landreth, J. F. Pike, W. D. Stewart, W. S. Woodard, J. Tillery, W. L. McGuire, J. A. Matthews, M. Bahrenburg, J. P. Caldwell, J. L. Hagler, J. G. L. Mitchell, J. C. Shackelford, L. H. Vandiver, J. T. Loyall, W. B. Morgan, A. L. Houston, J. L. D. Blevans, W. T. Eastwood, Joseph King, W. M. McAllister, Joab Spencer, C. W. Thorpe, Perry Long, A. G. Moore, W. K. White, H. D. Hogan were duly referred to the Committee on Conference Relations for the Superannuated Relation, and C. W. Scarritt, J. M. Clark, W. F. Briggs, were referred for the Supernumerary Relation. W. G. Pike and Samuel Brooks were passed without reference. H. N. Watts, J. C. Coss, Samuel Lopp, having died during the year, reference was made to the Committee on Memoirs.

Under question three, "Who are discontinued?" W. D. Amack was discontinued at his request.

U. G. Foote, a recent transfer from the Kentucky Conference, was introduced. Ward M. Baker of the Missouri Conference made some pertinent remarks about the Semi-Centennial Volume.

The Twentieth Question was then resumed, and Z. M. Williams, P. H. Linn, J. E. Alexander, J. J. Pritchett, E. C. McVoy, A. R. Faris, A. H. Barnes, C. W. Moore, L. P. Norfleet, U. V. Wyatt, J. C. Diggs, O. M. Rickman, R. L. Pyle, T. M. Cobb, L. F. Clark, R. G. Flummer, L. F. Shook, W. H. Suddath, Alonzo Patison, T. B. Harris, W. B. Palmore, were passed upon.

W. G. Beasley was substituted for J. C. Given on the Joint Board and George R. Finley for E. T. Webb.

Doctor DuBose was introduced and spoke on the "Epworth Era," and Doctor Alexander was introduced and spoke on the "Methodist Review." Rev. W. S. Woodard then made some remarks about some publications in which he was interested.

Mrs. Barnum of Fort Worth, Texas, was introduced, and very fittingly closed the first morning's session with one of the sweet songs of Zion.

Benediction by Bishop Key.

MORNING SESSION OF THE SECOND DAY.

After religious services conducted by Rev. J. G. L. Mitchell, Bishop Key presided and the roll of absentees was called. See roll. The Minutes of the previous session were read and approved.

Several papers of a connectional character were then referred to the proper boards and committees without reading. A request from the Methodist Veteran Association of Missouri asking for a committee touching the "George M. Winton Memorial," at Morrisville College was presented by W. S. Woodard and the request was granted. A communication referring to recent gifts for Central College was received most heartily.

The Bishop then called the First Question, "Who are received on trial?" David I. Slipper from the Marshall District, Charles H. Cleaves, George E. Hargis, Merritt M. Sooter, John M. Monroe, from the Carthage District, William W. Alexander, from the Springfield District, being duly recommended by the several District Conferences and approved by the examining committees, were received on trial into the traveling connection.

The Second Question was called, "Who remain on trial?" Isaac Edgar Wood, Alvin J. Gearheard, Wesley M. Smith, John K. Beery, were properly advanced to the class of the second year. August S. Swanson, John W. Riley, Will T. Hale, not having been before the examining committee, were continued in the class of the first year. L. B. Cotterman and C. B. Cotterman, having left their charges without permission, were discontinued. A motion by Rev. T. D. Payne to change the hours of the morning session beginning at 8:30 and closing at 11:45 was carried.

The Eighth Question was called, "What traveling preachers are elected deacons?" John T. Pritchett, Herbert J. Rand, were elected to deacon's orders and advanced to the class of the Third Year. Thomas A. Huffine and Hermon D. Huffine, being local deacons, were advanced to the class of the Third Year, as was also Ira Karr, a local elder. W. O. Troutman, not having been before the committee, was continued in the Second Year.

The Tenth Question was called, "What local preachers are elected deacons?" George E. Hargis and Charles H. Cleaves, being recommended by the Carthage District Conference, were elected.

The Fourteenth and Fifteenth Questions were called, "What local preachers are elected elders" and "What local preachers are ordained elders," and the answer to each question was, "None."

In answer to the Twelfth Question, "What traveling preachers are elected elders," James Clyde Saylor and Robert N. Allen were duly elected.

In answer to the Seventh Question, "Who are the deacons of one year?" Creed B. Day, James B. Swinney, Errell H. Orear, Samuel Brooks, were advanced to the Fourth Year. Isaac A. Smith was announced by the Bishop as transferred.

H. A. Wood, transferred to us from the Denver Conference, Doctor Hughey of the Methodist Episcopal Church, Doctor J. R. Nelson, were introduced. Doctor Nelson addressed the Conference with reference to our Home Mission work. Doctor Gross Alexander then spoke of the Methodist Review.

U. G. Foote was placed on the Sunday School Board in the stead of B. F. Coburn. Doctor Alexander was announced for a lecture at 2:30 p. m. on the Gospel of John.

After the singing of the Doxology, the benediction was pronounced by Doctor Nelson.

FRIDAY MORNING, THIRD DAY.

Conference met pursuant to adjournment, and religious services were conducted by Rev. L. H. Vandiver. In the absence of the Bishop, Doctor Z. M. Williams presided by request of the Bishop. The Minutes of the previous session were read, corrected and approved.

Changes were made in the Board of Education as follows: J. D. Lindsay, J. T. Rector and M. E. Benton not being present at the Conference, their places were supplied by the election of L. F. Shook, E. M. Taubman, J. F. Caskey. Reference of certain papers was made to the Board of Education without reading.

Under Question Sixteen, "Who are located this year?" Charles Franklin was located at his request.

J. W. Huston, a layman from the Nevada District, was noted as present in place of John Sampson, and R. B. Taylor from the Marshall District in place of Perry Rader. E. E. Swanson and J. B. Swinney were elected to fill vacancies on the Epworth League Board.

A resolution pertaining to Methodist Union was introduced by F. L. Johnson calling for a committee of five, which was later appointed as follows: C. H. Briggs, F. M. Burton, John A. Rich, U. V. Wyatt and C. E. Pattillo.

Question Six was then called by the Bishop, "Who are received by transfer from other Conferences?" J. C. Morris from the Missouri Conference, W. A. Smith from the Missouri Conference, J. W. Owen from the Missouri Conference, H. A. Wood from the Denver Conference, J. C. Rawlings from the North Texas Conference.

The Twentieth Question was then resumed, and the following were duly called and their characters passed: A. L. Marshall, W. H. Comer, E. Y. Ginn, T. D. Payne, W. B. Cobb, S. G. Welborn, J. W. Ezell, C. T. Wallace, C. E. Pryor, W. F. Wagoner, N. M. Dowdy, J. D. Wood, L. M. Philips, C. Bruner, J. F. Casky, B. V. Alton, J. E. McDonald, S. P. Cayton, W. H. Heslar, E. K. Wolfe, W. M. Rader, E. T. Raney, W. H. Winton, T. P. Cobb, W. D. Kelley, S. W. Emory, V. M. Crutsinger, U. G. Foote, J. B. Game, W. T. McClure, J. G. Haynes, C. L. Stouffer, J. R. Hargis, T. H. Clayton, Perry Long, W. B. Bull, W. F. Briggs, F. E. Gordon, R. J. Kyle, W. C. Bewley, B. A. McKnight, J. R. Strong, T. P. Wood, W. G. Beasley, C. H. Briggs, R. W. Shemwell, Jacob Shook, J. W. Ogden, L. L. Pinnell, J. B. Ellis, J. J. Keller, J. J. Hill, W. K. White, S. M. Godley, A. H. Godbey.

C. V. Schulenberg was announced as having left the church.

J. C. Given and J. T. Swanson having died during the year, their names were referred to the Committee on Memoirs.

A. H. Godbey asked for a committee to investigate certain rumors and the committee was appointed by the Bishop as follows: Z. M. Williams, G. J. Warren, W. T. McClure.

A collection was taken amounting to \$101.00 for the benefit of Perry Long, whose physical affliction made a little financial help acceptable. W. S. Woodard was appointed to write a letter of sympathy to him and his wife.

Doctor S. E. Campbell, Presiding Elder of the Kansas City District, Methodist Episcopal Church, H. A. Jones, pastor of the Howard Memorial M. E. Church, Paul B. Kern of the Correspondence School, F. M. Sampson, pastor of the Oakley M. E. Church, Kansas City, B. E. Niblack, pastor of the Oak Grove M. E. Church, Doctor J. R. Stewart representing our Superannuate Endowment Fund, were introduced to the Conference.

The announcement of the preachers for the Sunday services was made by O. M. Rickman for the Committee on Public Worship.

G. L. Coffman was referred to the Committee on Conference Relations for the Supernumerary Relation.

Paul B. Kern addressed the Conference on "The Correspondence School," and Dr. Stewart on the "Superannuate Endowment Fund."

Question 1 was recalled, and Walter H. Smith and Stephen A. Ragsdale were duly received into the traveling connection. Henry T. Murphy was not received, but his presiding elder, W. C. Hill, was given permission to use him as a supply.

A resolution touching Conference Entertainment was made a special order under Question 45.

Dr. Alexander was announced to lecture in the afternoon and Dr. McMurry, Church Extension Secretary, for the evening hour. The benediction was pronounced by T. M. Cobb.

SATURDAY MORNING, FOURTH DAY.

The morning services were conducted by W. S. Woodard, after which the Conference was called to order by Bishop Key. The minutes were read and approved. C. C. Berry was added to the secretarial force.

On recommendation of the committee, W. O. Troutman was passed from the Second to the Third Year, he being a local deacon already.

The answer to the Twentieth Question was completed as follows: S. G. Keys, O. E. Vivian, J. H. Cleaves, F. M. Burton, E. E. Swanson, J. E. Owen, J. E. Harney, C. C. Berry, C. N. Scrivener, L. B. Edwards, M. Larkin, G. H. Green, A. N. James, J. W. Payne, G. C. Loch, H. I. Miller, A. C. Clendenning, J. A. Jared, W. A. Brewer, T. C. Pucket, R. F. Lyon. B. F. Coburn was announced as having gone to another church.

Reports were adopted as follows: Board of Missions, Report No. 1; Joint Board of Finance, Report No. 1; District Conference Journals; Methodist Benevolent Association; Books and Periodicals; Conference Relations; Special Committee in case of A. H. Godbey reported no trial necessary.

The following were introduced to the Conference: Doctor J. D. Hammond, Secretary to the General Board of Education; Doctor E. B. Chappell, Sunday School Editor; Mrs. V. A. C. Stockard, President of Cottey College; President W. A. Webb of Central College; A. F. Smith, President College at Lexington; Prof. John W. Gilbert, representing the Educational work of the Colored Methodist Church.

Addresses were made by Doctor Hammond, Mrs. Stockard and Prof. Gilbert. A collection was taken for the Payne and Lane Colleges amounting to \$175.09.

Judge J. A. Rich in a few happy words presented to R. S. Hunter, the retiring Presiding Elder from the Marshall District, a token of esteem from the District. Paul H. Linn pleased the members of the Conference by distributing tickets over the

Metropolitan Street Railway for a visit to the new Central Church, the Institutional Church and the Scarritt Bible and Training School.

Question 1 was recalled by the Bishop, and Henry Salley was duly admitted into the traveling connection.

The class for admission into full connection, consisting of Ira Karr, Herbert J. Rand, Hermon D. Huffine, Thomas A. Huffine, John T. Pritchett and William O. Troutman was impressively lectured by Bishop Key and admitted by a unanimous vote.

On nomination of the undergraduates, U. G. Foote was elected to preach the opening sermon at the next session of the Conference.

Conference adjourned to meet Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock in Memorial Session. The benediction was pronounced by Doctor Chappell.

MEMORIAL SESSION, SUNDAY AFTERNOON.

Conference met in Memorial Session Sunday afternoon, 3 o'clock, pursuant to adjournment, with Rev. T. M. Cobb in the chair by appointment of the Bishop. The religious services were conducted by Rev. T. D. Payne, after which the nineteenth Question was called, "What preachers have died during the year?" and answered by the reading of the names: J. C. Coss, J. C. Given, J. T. Swanson, Samuel Lopp, by W. S. Woodard; that of J. C. Given by J. L. Sullens; that of J. T. Swanson by W. H. Comer. An obituary notice of Mrs. Fanny Lambkin Pike was also read by W. S. Woodard. Touching tributes were paid to the departed by C. H. Briggs, C. E. Pattillo, T. D. Payne, A. H. Barnes and others.

The Memorial Session adjourned with the benediction by Rev. T. M. Cobb.

MONDAY MORNING, SIXTH DAY.

Conference met pursuant to adjournment, with Bishop Key in the chair. Religious services were conducted by T. P. Cobb, and the minutes of the two previous sessions were read and approved.

Disciplinary questions were called and answered as follows:

21. What is the number of local preachers and members in the several circuits, stations and missions of the Conference? Local preachers, 87; members, 35,268.
22. How many infants have been baptized during the year? 232.
23. How many adults have been baptized during the year? 1,178.
24. What is the number of Epworth Leagues? 163.
25. What is the number of Epworth League members? 5,261.
26. What is the number of Sunday Schools? 316½.
27. What is the number of Sunday School officers and teachers? 2,962.
28. What is the number of Sunday School scholars enrolled during the year? 24,985.
29. What was the amount assessed by the last Conference for the superannuated preachers and the widows and orphans of preachers? Five *per cent* of the salaries of preachers and presiding elders, or \$5,034.39.
30. What has been collected on the foregoing account and how has it been applied? \$6,488.46. See report Joint Board.
31. What has been contributed for Missions? Foreign, \$7,983.77; domestic, \$6,691.58.
32. What amount has been contributed for Church Extension? \$2,860.83.
33. What has been contributed for the American Bible Society? \$295.61.
34. What has been contributed for the support of presiding elders and preachers in charge? Presiding elders, \$11,535.57; preachers in charge, \$91,518.85.
35. What has been contributed for the support of Bishops? \$1,557.93.
36. What is the number of societies and of houses of worship owned by them? Societies, 395; houses of worship, 365¾.
37. What is the value of houses of worship, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$1,700,474; indebtedness, \$60,743.
38. What is the number of pastoral charges and of parsonages owned by them? Pastoral charges, 158; parsonages, 129.
39. What is the value of parsonages, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$185,199; indebtedness, \$15,900.
40. What is the number of districts and of district parsonages? Districts, 7; no parsonage.
41. What is the value of district parsonages, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Nothing.
42. What number of churches have been damaged or destroyed during the year

by fire or storm, and what was the amount of damage? Churches damaged, 6; amount of damage, \$593.60.

43. What are the insurance statistics? Insurance carried, \$478,025; premiums paid, \$2,298.89; collections, \$644.76.

44. What are the education statistics? See Board Education.

45. Where shall the next session of the Conference be held? Warrensburg.

46. Where are the preachers stationed this year? See appointments.

Resolutions were adopted as follows: The Handling of Church Extension Money; The Building Enterprise at Lexington; Semi-Centennial Volume; Death of Bishop Tigert; Lectures of Doctor Alexander; Institutional Church; Thanks to Linn and Wyatt for Visit to Kansas City.

The following reports were adopted: Auditing Committee; Conference Editor; Board of Missions, Item No. 1 of Report No. 2; American Bible Society; Epworth League Board; Temperance, with direction to furnish daily papers with copies for publication; Sabbath observance, with direction to furnish daily papers with copy for publication; Board of Education as amended; Sunday School Board.

The following Disciplinary Questions were answered:

9. What traveling preachers are ordained deacons? John T. Prichett, Herbert J. Rand.

11. What local preachers are ordained deacons? Charles H. Cleaves, George E. Hargis, W. D. Amock.

13. What traveling preachers are ordained elders? James C. Saylor, Robert N. Allen.

15. What local preachers are ordained elders? No one.

6. Additional answer: J. R. McMurry.

5. Who are readmitted? W. P. Barrett.

17. Additional answer: J. F. Pike.

The pastor at Warrensburg and the Presiding Elder of the Lexington District were appointed to prepare a suitable program for the next Conference at Warrensburg.

U. G. Foote was placed on the Committee of Admission on Trial instead of J. A. Wailes.

Doctor C. H. Briggs was elected Conference Treasurer, with A. L. Marshall as Assistant.

A collection amounting to \$10.82 was taken for the janitor of the Independence Church.

After song and prayer led by the Bishop, the appointments were read, and Conference adjourned with the benediction by Bishop Key.

JOSEPH S. KEY, President;
C. C. WOODS, Secretary;
E. K. WOLFE, First Assistant.

ASSESSMENTS

CONFERENCE CLAIMANTS.

Five per cent of Preachers' and Presiding Elders' salary.

THE CONFERENCE ANNUAL.

One fifth of one per cent of Preachers' and Presiding Elders' salary.

DISTRICT	Missions Foreign	Domestic Missions	Church Extension	Educati'n	Bishops	General Conf. Delegate
Kansas City	\$1950.00	\$1550.00	\$1000.00	\$ 743.00	\$ 365.00	\$ 150.00
Lexington	1500.00	1225.00	625.00	718.00	305.00	125.00
Marshall	1500.00	1300.00	665.00	730.00	335.00	125.00
Nevada	1100.00	975.00	600.00	547.00	235.00	100.00
Carthage	1100.00	975.00	550.00	422.00	175.00	100.00
Springfield	1100.00	925.00	515.00	422.00	175.00	100.00
Western.....	550.00	550.00	350.00	248.00	150.00	75.00

REPORTS OF BOARDS AND COMMITTEES

JOINT BOARD OF FINANCE

The amount collected for Conference claimants is \$6,344.23. We recommend that this be apportioned as follows:

M. Adkisson.....	\$ 150.00	W. M. McAlister.....	160.00
Mrs. N. A. Auld.....	75.00	W. L. McGuire.....	100.00
Mrs. J. D. Austin.....	110.00	Mrs. Minnie Miller.....	115.00
M. Bahrenburg.....	150.00	J. G. L. Mitchell.....	100.00
J. L. D. Blevans.....	75.00	W. B. Morgan.....	100.00
J. W. Bond.....	100.00	A. G. Moore.....	100.00
Mrs. J. Y. Brown.....	100.00	Mrs. L. W. Pearce.....	160.00
Mrs. J. Y. Busby.....	150.00	Mrs. Kate Peery.....	50.00
J. P. Caldwell.....	150.00	Mrs. Mary T. Philips.....	200.00
Mrs. S. S. Colburn.....	100.00	Mrs. S. N. Proctor.....	135.00
Mrs. J. C. Coss.....	50.00	Mrs. M. M. Pugh.....	125.00
Mrs. L. R. Downing.....	125.00	Mrs. J. A. Rader.....	100.00
Mrs. T. C. Downs.....	50.00	Mrs. J. F. Robb.....	75.00
Mrs. R. C. Dryden.....	75.00	Mrs. R. R. Sevier.....	100.00
W. T. Eastwood.....	135.00	J. C. Shackelford.....	200.00
W. T. Gill.....	50.00	J. Spencer.....	185.00
Mrs. J. C. Given.....	100.00	W. D. Stewart.....	200.00
J. L. Hagler.....	90.00	Mrs. M. M. Stringfield.....	90.00
Mrs. J. P. Hogan.....	175.00	Mrs. Mary Swift.....	75.00
H. D. Hogan.....	100.00	Mrs. Lida Swanson.....	200.00
A. L. Houston.....	175.00	C. W. Thorpe.....	100.00
Mrs. Alice A. Jared.....	50.00	J. Tillery.....	100.00
Mrs. J. M. Jones.....	125.00	L. H. Vandiver.....	175.00
J. King.....	100.00	W. K. White.....	100.00
Mrs. M. E. Knowles.....	75.00	W. S. Woodard.....	200.00
Mrs. Samuel Lopp.....	50.00	J. B. Landreth.....	10.00
J. T. Loyal.....	100.00	Expense of Secretary.....	1.80
Perry Long.....	100.00		
Mrs. W. D. Martin.....	50.00		
J. A. Matthews.....	100.00	Total.....	\$6,341.80
Mrs. J. K. Matthews.....	50.00	Balance in treasury.....	2.43

We desire to again call attention to the standing order of the Conference, making the assessment for Conference claimants five per cent of the preachers' and presiding elders' salaries; also, that each preacher is held responsible for at least five per cent of his own salary. Further, that the assessment for printing the minutes is, by order of the Conference, one-fifth of one per cent of the preachers' and presiding elders' salaries.

C. N. SCRIVENER, Secretary.
A. R. FARRIS, President.

BOARD OF MISSIONS

Report No. 1.

1. Our Conference Evangelist, Rev. W. G. Beasley, reports sixteen meetings held, resulting in about 300 conversions, and \$468.34 raised for the Board. The Board commends the earnest, faithful work of our Evangelist, who labored for the most part in mission territory and in many places under very adverse conditions.

2. We desire to call the attention of the Conference to the Layman's Missionary Movement, inaugurated by the General Board. Preparations are being made for a great convention in the winter at such time and place as may be selected. We desire to emphasize this movement and we believe it means much for the cause of missions. The layman of our great church must keep step with those of other denominations as they rise up and take their rightful places in the conquering ranks of the missionary forces.

3. While we are gratified at the advance made in our collections for the cause of missions, we deeply regret that we have not reached the assessment line, and urge that we make a special effort to do so next year. To that end we urge every charge that can to raise an excess to make up the deficiency on the weaker charges.

4. The Committee on City Evangelization report that less than 10 per cent of the men of the large cities attend church, while only about 12 per cent belong to Protestant churches. From many sources and many cities it is learned that 40 per cent of the church members who go to the cities are lost to the church. In view of this fact, we would call special attention to the recommendation of the General Board for the organization of "City Methodist Unions" in our larger cities.

5. We rejoice in the success of the Methodist Training School for Christian Workers, and in our opinion this is proving a providential agency in this age when the trained worker is so much in need. We desire to call the attention of our young people who desire to fit themselves for more efficient service in the Master's vineyard to this and the Scarritt Bible and Training School at Kansas City.

6. We would call the attention of the pastors to the Young People's Department under the direction of the Rev. Ed F. Cook, and urge the organization of mission study classes in all our Leagues.

7. Resolved, That we co-operate with the Parent Board in their campaign for 25,000 subscribers to the "Go Forward" as the most direct route to a deepened missionary interest and a fuller treasury.

8. In view of the pressing need of funds for the extension of domestic mission work in communities where no church is doing efficient work, it is declared by this resolution to be the policy of this Board to reduce each year the amounts now apportioned to the charges, unless in exceptional cases, and we ask the Presiding Elders to assist us in this and the Conference to approve this policy by adopting this report.

9. The work of our Conference Evangelist has shown clearly the importance of this field of work and the need of several men who could give their entire time to developing the neglected portions of our Conference. That we may take no backward step and keep a man in the field for the coming year, we recommend an assessment of \$7,400 for domestic missions.

Report No. 2.

1. We recommend that the Conference provide for the appointment of a missionary evangelist again this year, and nominate Rev. J. E. Alexander as said evangelist.

2. Your Board has made the following assessments for the coming year: (See assessment table later on.)

Report No. 3.

The Board has made the following appropriations:

Kansas City District:

Institutional Church.	\$200.00	
Cleveland Avenue.	275.00	
Garland Avenue.	200.00	
Mt. Washington.	200.00	
Drakemore.	200.00	
Belton.	100.00	
Swope Park.	200.00	
Pleasant Hill.	100.00	\$1,475.00

Lexington District:

Waverly.	\$ 75.00	
Warrensburg.	300.00	
Otterville.	100.00	
Dover and Providence.	100.00	
Warsaw.	100.00	
Green Ridge.	50,000	\$725.00

Marshall District:

Linn.	\$150.00	
Chamois.	100	
Russellville.	100.00	
Glenstead.	100.00	
California.	100.00	
Nelson.	100.00	
Vienna.	100.00	\$750.00

Nevada District:

Austin and Arch Street.....	\$200.00	
Rich Hill.	150.00	
Clinton.	200.00	
Appleton City.	50.00	
Windsor Circuit.	75.00	
Richard and Stotesbury.....	100.00	\$775.00

Carthage District:

Blendville and West Side.....	\$250.00	
Duenweg.	75.00	
Jasper.	75.00	
Jerico Station.	50.00	
Miller.	50.00	
Pineville.	50.00	
Cassville.	75.00	
Seneca.	150.00	
Diamond.	50.00	\$825.00

Springfield District:

Mountain Grove.	\$100.00	
Dale Street.	150.00	
Ash Grove.	100.00	
Bolivar.	100.00	
Lebanon.	150.00	
Ozark.	100.00	
Lowry City.	150.00	
Cross Timbers.	50.00	
Buffalo.	150.00	\$1,050.00

Western District:

District.	\$150.00	
Rosedale.	100.00	
Cummings.	50.00	
Kickapoo.	50.00	
Council Grove.	50.00	
Bronson.	100.00	\$500.00

W. T. McCLURE, President.
F. M. BURTON, Secretary.

CHURCH EXTENSION

The Treasurer's books show:

September 12, 1906, cash on hand.....	\$ 26.89	
Received from Conference Treasurer.	2,608.65	
Received from Western Conference.	51.36	
Treasurer's vouchers show paid.....		\$2,660.17
September 11, 1907, cash on hand.....		26.73
	<u>\$2,686.90</u>	<u>\$2,686.90</u>

Appropriations as follows:

Mt. Washington.	\$400.00
Warrensburg.	400.00
Purcell.	100.00
Seneca.	100.00
Salem.	75.00
Ozark.	150.00
Horton.	100.00
Richards.	100.00

Officers for the present quadrennium are: J. C. Diggs, President; G. M. Blaine, Vice-President; W. F. Briggs, Secretary; Jno. A. Rich, Treasurer.

For assessments, see table assessments later on.

J. C. DIGGS, President.
W. F. BRIGGS, Secretary.

SUNDAY SCHOOLS

Your Board begs leave to report as follows:

Dr. Chappel was before the Board and gives us a hopeful outlook for our Sunday School work. Important improvements are planned in our Sunday School literature.

We are gratified that the requisitions for help were less than one-half of the previous year, and that we have the handsome sum of one hundred seventy-seven and 13-100 dollars for the chair of Sunday School and Religious Pedagogy.

MEN WANTED! The great crying need for the Church. Solution Young Men's Movement.

"MEN FOR BOYS" solves the boy problem. That school which has a number of men as working examples readily retains the boys and young men.

CHILDREN'S DAY collections could easily be doubled by emphasis and concerted action. The Secretary will furnish free programs to all applying.

TITHING, we wish to again stress, as the greatest financial hope of the church. A **TITHING CLASS** should be formed in each school. All interested may secure suggestions and help from the Secretary.

SUNDAY SCHOOL INSTITUTES should be held at several points within the Conference bounds, at such times and places as may be designated by the Board. We so recommend, and also that Dr. and Mrs. Hamill, or some other noted workers, be secured for the occasion.

Respectfully submitted,

HARRY G. HENLEY, Secretary.
J. F. CASKEY, President.

Treasurer's Report of Sunday School Board for Year 1906-'07.

RECEIPTS.

From Dr. Briggs.	\$302.93	
From Western District, Kansas. . . . .	.32	
Total.		\$303.25

DISBURSEMENTS.

By literature Garland Avenue School, Kansas City.	\$ 6.50	
By literature Institutional Church School, Kansas City.	35.88	
By literature Mt. Washington School, Kansas City.	20.84	
By literature Austin and West Arch School, Nevada.	20.11	
By literature Purcell School.	3.62	
By literature Stoutland School.	2.45	
By literature Cassville School.	14.77	
By literature Bagnell School.	6.55	
By literature bill last year.	5.40	
By literature Western District, Kansas.	10.00	
	\$126.12	
By balance to Chair Sunday School and Religious Pedagogy.	177.13	
Total.		\$303.25

Respectfully submitted,

HARRY G. HENLEY, Treasurer.

EPWORTH LEAGUES

The facts which have been presented to this Board indicate that the organization of the Epworth League is in a prosperous condition. The increase in League membership throughout the church during the year has been over three thousand.

The report of the meeting of the Missouri Epworth League Union held at Pertle Springs in July is highly gratifying. It is with special pleasure that we note that at the consecration service of this meeting thirteen young women and five young men gave themselves to the Lord for special work in the home and foreign fields. There were also five young people who professed faith in Christ at this meeting.

We, the Epworth League Board of this Conference, desire to co-operate with the State League authorities in making the state organization even more efficient than it now is.

The Chairman of the Conference League Board is hereby authorized, in consultation with the Presiding Elder, to appoint District League Presidents when vacancies occur during the interim of the Conferences.

We earnestly urge that the several districts undertake some special missionary work, such as providing scholarships or supporting missionaries in the field.

It is the purpose of the members of this Board to visit the District League meetings, also the District Conferences, where it is at all practicable.

We heartily commend the Epworth Era, the League page in the St. Louis Advocate, the Quiet Hour Quarterly, and the Mission Study Course as helps of inestimable value in the work of the local chapters, and we do hereby invite the individual leagues to call upon the members of this board to explain to them more fully the possibilities of Epworth League work.

We repeat the request of a year ago, and ask that we be given an evening during the session of our next Annual Conference in which to hold an Epworth League rally.

S. P. CAYTON, Chairman.

ALANZO PATTISON, Secretary.

SABBATH OBSERVANCE

Your Committee on Sabbath Observance offer the following report:

We affirm our steadfast belief in the divine, authoritative obligation of the Sabbath law. We believe it to be on the same plane with the other scriptural institutions and as permanent in its binding force as the other great deliverances of the Decalogue.

On its natural side it is intended as a philanthropic provision against the deadening influence upon the bodies and souls of men of uninterrupted daily toil and continuous absorption in secular pursuits. This far it falls within the province of civil legislation, and the enforcement of its observance is embodied in the Sunday Statutes of all Christian States.

But this does not exhaust its significance. It has also a large religious meaning—is a memorial of a pivotal fact in historic Christianity, and it is a day of religious worship and works of mercy. And as the natural Sabbath is essential to the universal social order, so the Christian Sabbath is essential to the integrity of the religious order.

The Christian Sabbath is distinctively a depositum made with the church, a divine somewhat committed to her for safe keeping and enforcement as were the oracles of God to Israel. This distinction the church must keep in mind. The enforcement of the Sabbath-rest by civil authority is good, but we must not be deceived into the belief that this is the measure of our obligation. We cannot expect to make the state the interpreter of the Sabbath law for us. We have a concern that the civil powers enforce the Sabbath rest, but away and far beyond lies *our* duty to remember the Sabbath day and keep it holy. This can only be done by consistent, conscientious living on our part and by faithful gospel witness.

We must remember, too, that the state's enforcement of the natural Sabbath will be just in proportion to our appreciation of its religious features. A low sense of the sacredness of the day by the church will surely bring all Sunday legislation to naught. The state will never be able to enforce a rest on the first day of the week so long as the church sees nothing in it but a day of rest. She must, by her appreciation of its holy religious meaning, create the public sentiment without which such a law cannot be enforced.

More, the whole of the Christian life and work must stand or fall with the proper observance of the Christian Sabbath. The triple key to the religious arch is marriage, the family and the Sabbath, all of which had their beginning in Eden and belong to the essential constitution of the Kingdom of God. If these fail the church will fail. They are bound together by a ligament as vital as that which made the Siamese Twins one. The proof of this is painfully in evidence today. The laxity of the marriage bond, the sad decline of the family order and the secularization of the Sabbath run *Pari Passu* through modern society. They are always and fatally concomitant.

And all our religious activities will avail little where they are counteracted by Sabbath desecration. How can the gospel have free course when men and women come to church full of the Sunday newspaper and plans of business and pleasure and idle self-seeking for the rest of the day. Of what avail is the work of the Sunday School, when the children go from their classes to spend the day in wandering at will and common play, wholly unrestrained? What profit can there come of our religious exercises if we have no sacred hours for meditation? When will we read the word of God and cultivate family religion and develop our own spiritual lives in knowledge and grace, if we throw away the one day, which God has set apart

for these very uses? We steadfastly believe that the efficiency of the church, the integrity of the family, the religious training of our children and the right development of our own Christian characters depend upon the right appreciation and strict observance of the Christian Sabbath.

We therefore feel it to be our duty as pastors of the Church of God to warn our people against the many forms of Sabbath desecration into which society has fallen. As pastors we should set a rigid example for the people whom we serve and by prayerful insistence keep them in mind of this obligation. "If thou turn thy foot from the Sabbath, from doing thy pleasure on my holy day; and call the Sabbath a delight, the holy of the Lord, honorable, and shalt honor him, not doing thine own ways, nor finding thine own pleasure, nor speaking thine own words; then thou shalt delight thyself in the Lord; and I will cause thee to ride upon the high places of the earth, and feed thee with the heritage of Jacob, thy father; for the mouth of the Lord hath spoken it."

JAMES C. MORRIS, Chairman.

EDUCATION

"The church has an educational message." From historic times she has realized that she had a "teaching function, as well as a preaching function." In the churches' theory of education religion is a vital, necessary and indispensable element.

The contention of the church that "education must be distinctively religious," makes the attitude of the church "logically consistent and faithfully true to her life long tradition."

Those who are competent to judge declare that no external work is more characteristic of modern education than its utter indifference to all the claims of religion and its boasted freedom from all ecclesiastical control. So long as such a description fairly represents current theories of education so long will there be important necessity for the church to become a specialist in the work of education, laying clearer and greater emphasis upon the theories and making larger provisions for the cause of Christian education.

In pursuance of the action of the last General Conference, the General Board of Education has matured plans for extending its work and enlarging the sphere of its influence.

An auspicious beginning of this broader policy has been made at Palo Alto, Cal.

By a donation of \$10,000 for the establishment of a junior college, money and property of the value of \$200,000 has been made available for our educational work in the California Conferences.

The Board has decided to enter the distinctive Domestic Mission territory, in the bounds of all the Conferences.

Already a competent committee is at work investigating the strategic points, studying the needs of schools and colleges, already established in order that the material assistance, with the board desires to offer may be intelligently and wisely rendered.

In addition to the work which the board has undertaken in connection with Payne and Lane colleges, it has sought to increase its influence as a Missionary agency among the negroes by extending aid to the Books City college in Alabama, the Hally Springs College in Mississippi and the Tiler College in Texas.

In no one work has the efficiency and far sighted wisdom of the Board been more apparent than in its inauguration of the *Correspondence School*.

The marvelous development and the thorough work of this school has more than justified the faith and zeal, which called it into existence.

Practically all the work of our under-graduates is now being done under the direction and supervision of this school.

Through its carefully prepared courses of study and its "extensive library," the Correspondence School is offering an opportunity of rare and inestimable value.

THE SCARRITT BIBLE AND TRAINING SCHOOL.

It is barely possible that the conference has not appreciated as it ought this invaluable school and its noble work.

The growing needs of our aggressive Methodism at home and abroad forces the Scarritt Bible and Training School into a place of supreme importance. According to the estimate of the accomplished editor of our *Quarterly Review*, the marvelous success of our Institutional Church in Kansas City, has attracted the favorable attention of our entire Church. Without in the least under-valuing or underestimating the skill, tact and consummate leadership of Dr. Moore, it may be said, of the Church's success, the Training School has made large and real contributions.

If as a Church we are to hold an important place in our rapidly developing cities we must have those who are qualified and trained to cope with the delicate and difficult problems, with which the church has to deal. Of the work of the school a returned missionary said: "In all my observation of the workers in the foreign field, I have found none so thoroughly trained and so well equipped as the graduates of the Training School."

Dr. Morris of Kansas City, who has had ample opportunity to know, says: "I have never seen the high ideals of our religion, so thoroughly embodied as they are in life and work of the Training School."

Most heartily, does the board commend the school to the love and confidence of those who seek by prayer and effort to make possible the larger things of our religion.

THE SCARRITT COLLEGIATE INSTITUTE.

At the session of the last conference the Curators, through an accredited representative, "asked the privilege of making another attempt to put the school in operation." In their report the Board of Education said: "We recommend that the request be granted with the distinct understanding that if this attempt fail, the Conference will take immediate steps to dispose of the property in accordance with the terms of the deeds." The Board had before it the report of the Curators. The Curators say that after carefully considering all the facts they would not be justified in opening the school unless the Conference would give them an annual appropriation, for at least three years, of \$1,000. The question of opening the school was carefully considered by the board. Those who were in position to know the facts were invited to be present at the meeting of the board and participate in the discussion.

After carefully considering the matter the board felt that it could not recommend the appropriation asked for by the Curators.

Following the action and intention of the last conference, the board ordered the property investigated, looking to the disposal of it, and appointed a commission to examine all the deeds, conveyances, etc., and to report to the board at its next annual session, the result of their examination, with such recommendation as to the disposal of the property, as might seem to them *equitable, just and right*.

CENTRAL COLLEGE.

We believe that the Curators of Central College have made no mistake in the election of William A. Webb to the presidency of the school, and we pledge to him our hearty support. We confidently expect that his ripe scholarship and earnest christian life will be a great blessing to the students. We congratulate the school on securing John J. Tigert, A. B. Vanderbilt University and Rhodes Scholar, Oxford University, England, for the Philosophy Department.

The enrollment for last year was the largest in the history of the college with one exception, and we have no doubt that the gratifying increase was due largely to the diligent efforts of the College Secretary, Rev. Willis Carlisle. We note with some satisfaction that of the enrollment, thirty-seven were ministerial students, and that of this number twenty-one were from our parsonage homes. It may be that the preacher's boy is to supply in his measure the present shortage in preachers, and we must look to the church school for the training of this boy. We earnestly look to our christian teachers to turn the eyes of other young men toward the prophetic office.

We call attention to the free scholarships now offered by the College, and urge our pastors and presiding elders to bring this matter before the people.

We are grateful for the religious life of the school, and the spiritual awakening among the students, which was due, we think, to the work of the Young Men's Christian Association, to the unceasing labors of the Fayette pastor, S. H. C. Burgin and to the College Faculty.

We feel that the Semi-Centennial Fund should be only a prophecy of a great endowment, and recommend that our preachers and people attend the Semi-Centennial Exercises at the college, Oct. 7th and 8th, 1907.

MORRISVILLE COLLEGE.

The report from Morrisville College is very gratifying.

Though embarrassed for lack of funds there has been advancement in all departments.

The president, Dr. A. H. Godbey is laboring to elevate the standard of work, and make the college take rank with the best.

In the St. Louis Advocate of August 7, will be found the president's annual report, in which will be not only the statistics for the past year, but something the plans for the future.

We believe this splendid institution should have the sympathy and support of every preacher in the Southwest Missouri Conference.

The time has come when in the judgment of those who know the facts at least \$100,000, should be added to our plant at Morrisville. And the Board accordingly recommends that steps be taken to that end. We recommend that a financial agent be placed in the field to raise such sum, and that an assessment of \$1,500 be made upon the conference to pay the salary of such agent one year.

CENTRAL COLLEGE FOR WOMEN.

It is with pleasure that we receive the report of the most successful year of this school's history, and that the present year bids fair to be still more successful.

We endorse the Board of Curators in their desire to place the work upon the highest grade.

"We commend the administration of Rev. A. F. Smith, the president, and rejoice in his zeal, wisdom and fitness for this work, and pledge him our hearty and loyal support.

RECOMMENDATIONS.

The following Curators for Central College.

Percy Huston, Frank Groves, 3 years.

J. D. Lindsay, W. C. Scarritt, 4 years.

Z. M. Williams, 4 years.

Rev. A. H. Godbey to be appointed president of Morrisville College.

The following to be Curators for Morrisville College:

Morris A. Ewing, C. H. Briggs, Frank Burton, J. E. McDonald, O. C. Jackson, C. C. Morris, W. C. Hill.

WESLEY M. SMITH, STUDENT AT VANDERBILT.

W. C. Scarritt, E. M. Taubman, J. B. Ellis, John A. Rich and Frank Burton, as the commission on the examination of deeds and of Scarritt Collegiate Institute looking to the disposal of the property.

Rev. W. S. Woodward to be president of the Historical Society, to be organized as an auxiliary to the State Historical Society: J. B. Ellis, vice-president; S. G. Keys, Secretary and Treasurer.

Rev. C. E. Patillo, to be appointed Conference Secretary of Education.

For Education (Gen. B.)	\$1,230.00
For Central College.	1,000.00
For Morrisville College.	1,500.00
For Correspondence School.	100.00

Total.	\$3,830.00
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C. E. PATILLO, President.

S. G. KEYS, Secretary.

BOOKS AND PERIODICALS

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Your Committee on Books and Periodicals submit the following report:

THE ST. LOUIS CHRISTIAN ADVOCATE.

This paper has long been a blessing to Missouri Methodism and continues to deserve the love and support of our people. In its mechanical make up it ranks with the very best; and the matter it contains from week to week is of high order. We believe it to be a superior paper and heartily commend it to our people.

We hereby adopt the paper as our conference organ for the next year and recommend the appointment of Dr. W. B. Palmore as its editor; Dr. C. C. Woods as its assistant editor.

THE NASHVILLE ADVOCATE.

We give an unqualified approval to the editorial and general management of the Nashville Advocate. About the best we can say about it is that it was formerly good and is now better and growing better all the time. We regret that this paper is not more generally taken and would urge our preachers to call the attention of our people to it, with the view of largely increasing its subscription list. We recommend the appointment of Dr. S. M. Godbey, assistant editor.

THE SUNDAY SCHOOL LITERATURE.

Our Sunday School literature is of high order and commends itself to our people. We appreciate the good work being done by Dr. E. B. Chappel and assistants. We

think the Teacher's Magazine deserves special mention because of the high standard maintained, also the Sunday School Visitor for it continues to come to us as one of the brightest and best of all our Church publications.

GENERAL PUBLICATIONS.

We regard the Methodist Quarterly Review as one of the most important publications of our church. Occupying, as it does, a field distinct from that of any other periodical, ably edited by Dr. Gross Alexander, containing the mature thought of our great thinkers upon the vital questions before the church.

The Eqworth Era continues to be a very useful paper for the young people.

We look upon "Go Forward" as a most excellent missionary paper and one that should be in every Methodist home.

PUBLISHING HOUSE.

We are glad to note that the Publishing House has had a good year.

We would kindly suggest, again that the House try to be more prompt in filling orders, especially those for Sunday School Literature.

F. E. GORDON, Secretary.

EDGAR C. McVOY, Chairman.

AMERICAN BIBLE SOCIETY

Your American Bible Society Board regrets to have to report a decrease of over one hundred dollars in the collection. Last year \$398.94 were given against only \$295.51 this year. This too in the face of the very urgent needs of this worthy and indispensable institution of the church.

This decrease would not be were it not that so distressingly large a number of the charges have entirely overlooked the collection.

It is the opinion of this Board that every charge is expected by the Conference to take and report a collection for the American Bible Society.

Respectfully submitted,

U. V. WYATT, Chairman.

J. J. HILL, Secretary.

DISTRICT CONFERENCE JOURNALS

We, your Committee on District Conference Journals, submit the following as our report:

The Journals of Carthage, Nevada, Lexington, Marshall and Kansas City Districts are neatly and properly kept. The roll of members of the Nevada District Journal might have been more perfect had the ex-officio relation of each member been indicated.

The Journals of Springfield and Western were not before us.

J. J. HUNTINGTON,

S. P. CAYTON,

S. N. JARED.

CONFERENCE RELATIONS

We, your Committee, recommend that Milton Atkinson, J. W. Bond, W. T. Gill, J. D. Landreth, W. D. Stewart, W. S. Woodard, J. Tillery, W. L. McGuire, J. A. Matthews, M. Bahrenburg, J. P. Caldwell, J. L. Hagler, J. G. L. Mitchell, J. C. Shackelford, L. H. Vandiver, J. T. Loyall, W. B. Morgan, A. L. Houston, J. L. D. Blevans, W. T. Eastwood, Jos. King, M. M. McAllister, J. Spencer, H. D. Hogan, C. W. Thorpe, Perry Long, A. G. Moore and W. K. White be granted the superannuated relation, and that C. W. Scarritt, J. M. Clark, G. L. Coffman, J. F. Pike and W. F. Briggs be granted the supernumerary relation.

S. G. WELBORN, Chairman.

C. C. BERRY, Secretary.

TEMPERANCE

Your Committee on Temperance reports as follows:

The Church of Jesus Christ can afford to take no timid, cowardly stand against this the most monumental crime of history. She can consistently occupy one of only two positions—free whiskey or no whiskey. If the use of whiskey is right, to restrict it is oppressive and unwarranted; if it is wrong to license it is unrighteous and accursed. We believe the whole traffic, license or no license, as an unmitigated and inexcusable curse. Recognizing it as the greatest menace to our civilization and the hardest hindrance to the progress of the Church and Christian truth, we express our undying hostility thereto and our sympathy with every wise movement which makes for its overthrow.

We submit that a nation has no more license to legalize and protect a traffic that debauches and demoralizes her citizenship than has a father to permit and protect and shelter in his home that which destroys or despoils his own offspring. The license system is a stupendous outrage of Christian conscience and a foolhardy defiance of Jehovah, which incurs his displeasure and invites our final disaster and ruin.

We condemn the traffic as essentially a lawless business while those who are engaged in it will violate the laws enacted for its regulation when it is to their pecuniary advantage to do so. This is most plainly seen in the wide-spread disregard of the Sunday closing law which seeks to protect us against the demoralizing influence of the saloon on that holiday. In the presence of this flagrant disregard of our sacred rights and impudent defiance of all authority and law the Church cannot be silent or inactive without criminal guilt and responsibility for moral murder. She is the divinely appointed guardian of public morals and must make aggressive warfare against every evil that threatens society. Indifference in the conflict is disloyalty to the Christ.

We are in sympathy with the strong temperance sentiment which is sweeping our commonwealth and country, crystalizing its principles into wholesome laws. Without any political purpose save to approve righteousness we commend the course of Gov. Joseph W. Folk in his hearty support of temperance measures in legislature and in his earnest effort to enforce the laws enacted for the regulation and suppression of the liquor evil and especially the enforcement of the Sunday closing law in our cities. We pledge ourselves as individuals and as a Church, in the pulpit and in public life by teaching and example to say and do every legitimate thing which may deliver men from the domination of this powerful agency of hell.

We pray earnestly that God may direct in this great warfare and that his presence may abide with all who labor in this great cause making their labors efficient.

W. H. WINTON, Chairman.

J. T. PRITCHETT, Secretary.

THE METHODIST BENEVOLENT ASSOCIATION

The Board of Directors of the Methodist Benevolent Association submit the following report:

The fiscal year closing September 1st, 1907; the permanent fund of the Methodist Benevolent Association amounted to \$16,200, and that of the Preachers' Aid Society of the Western Conference to \$4,192.30, making our total productive permanent fund \$20,392.30.

The Treasurer of the Benevolent Association turned over to the Joint Board of Finance for this past year, interest on permanent fund amounting to \$1,065.70, and the Aid Society interest to the amount of \$261.50, making a total of \$1,327.20 for the year.

In view of this splendid aid the Methodist Benevolent Association is furnishing our superannuated preachers, and since the need of enlarging our Endowment Fund is so imperative, as the claimments upon the fund increase.

We, Therefore, ask this Annual Conference in session to set set apart the last Sunday in November as a day to be known as "Superannuated Preachers' Day," upon which this important matter shall be presented to all our congregations, so that all our people may have the opportunity to make a free-will offering by deed, bequest, cash or by note, to this most worthy work.

Officers for the ensuing Conference year were elected as follows: W. C. Scarritt, president; F. M. Burton, vice president; Frank S. Groves, treasurer; J. E. Alexander, secretary; other members of the Board are: Dr. C. H. Briggs, Judge Jno. A. Rich and Hon. Perry S. Rader.

W. C. SCARRITT, President.

J. E. ALEXANDER, Secretary.

RESOLUTIONS

BISHOP JOHN JAMES TIGERT. LL.D.

WHEREAS, during the past Conference year, Bishop John James Tigert has been called away in the prime of his ministry, manhood and usefulness by a Providence which is wise where we are ignorant, and kindly where we are shortsighted; therefore, be it

Resolved, That in his death, the Southwest Missouri Conference has lost a former member, honored and esteemed;

That, the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, has lost a distinguished scholar, teacher and editor, an able preacher, and a beloved bishop;

That, the Church of God throughout Christendom has lost a strong arm, and further, be it

Resolved, That the affectionate sympathy of this Conference be extended to the bereaved wife and family.

Signed: C. W. MOORE,
J. C. MORRIS,
W. T. McCLURE,
Z. M. WILLIAMS.
C. H. BRIGGS,
A. L. MARSHALL,
C. C. WOODS, et al.

DR. JOHN MATHEWS.

WHEREAS, it has pleased our Heavenly Father to call from his labors, that beloved Saint in Isreal, that distinguished preacher and pastor, that man of God and friend of man, Rev. Dr. John Mathews, who, while formerly a member of the Southwest Missouri Conference, was claimed by the whole church, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Southwest Missouri Conference tender to the bereaved wife and family its deep and loving sympathy, and that it express to them its gratitude to God for the blessing which his life and works have been to the entire church.

Signed: C. W. MOORE,
W. T. McCLURE,
W. A. McCLANAHAN,
E. K. WOLFE,
A. H. BARNES,
J. R. STRONG,
O. M. RICKMAN, et al.

LEXINGTON'S NEW CHURCH.

We have learned with great pleasure of the steps that have been taken looking toward the erection of a new and adequate church building in the city of Lexington, the seat of our Central Female College and one of the oldest charges in Missouri, and we congratulate the pastor, Dr. C. E. Pattillo, and the people of our church in that city on the good beginning that has been made. We, furthermore, pledge them our sympathy and prayers in their worthy endeavor and express to them the earnest hope that this work may be rapidly pushed to completion and that by the time the next session of the Conference convenes we may have in that important and historic center a substantial, modern and imposing church edifice such as the needs of the situation demand.

Signed: JOHN A. RICH,
O. M. RICHMAN,
Z. M. WILLIAMS.

INSTITUTIONAL CHURCH.

Resolved, That in the case of the Institutional Church in Kansas City, the amount raised by the local class for the support of the ministry, P. C. and P. E., shall be the basis for the estimation of the Superannuate's Fund.

Signed: U. V. WYATT,
THOS. M. COBB,
W. C. BEWLEY.

CENTENNIAL VOLUME.

WHEREAS, In the compilation and publication of the Centinnial Volume of Missouri Methodism, the editors, Rev. M. L. Gray and Rev. Ward M. Baker, have done the church a large service in the preservation of much valued history and biography; and have helped to keep green the memories of many worthy soldiers of the cross and saints in Isreal; therefore, be it

Resolved, That they have the hearty congratulations and sincere thanks of the Southwest Missouri Conference.

Signed: C. W. MOORE,
C. C. WOODS,
JNO. A. RICH,
THOS. M. COBB,
W. B. PALMORE.

DR. ALEXANDER'S LECTURES.

WHEREAS, One of the ablest scholars and writers of our church, the Rev. Dr. Gross Alexander, has, in his visit to the Southwest Missouri Conference, both helped and inspired the brethren by the series of excellent addresses delivered before them; therefore, be it

Resolved, That Dr. Alexander has won the gratitude of the entire Conference and is cordially invited to repeat his visit next year.

Signed: E. K. WOLFE,
U. V. WYATT,
ALONZO PATTISON,
O. E. VIVIAN,
C. W. MOORE,
F. M. BURTON,
W. G. HILL,
A. H. GODBEY,
C. C. BERRY,
G. C. LOCH, et al.

INDEPENDENCE HOSPITALITY.

Resolved, That we tender our sincere thanks to the people of Independence for their cordial and elegant hospitality; to Rev. Dr. Z. M. Williams and O. M. Rickman and the Committee on Entertainment and Program for their valued services; to the bank and the newspapers; to U. V. Wyatt and P. H. Linn and the Metropolitan Street Railway for the excursion to Kansas City; and to the pastors of the churches in Independence and Kansas City for extending the courtesies of their pulpits.

CHURCH EXTENSION.

Resolved, First, That all funds collected for the Church Extension cause collected in this Conference be remitted as soon as collected to the General Treasurer of the Conference.

Second, The General Treasurer shall from time to time remit all Church Extension funds to the parent Board of Church Extension at Louisville, Kentucky.

Third, The parent Board of Church Extension shall hold one-half of all Church Extension funds from this Conference subject to the order of our Conference Board and shall pay out said funds as appropriated and ordered by our Board and shall take from each beneficiary of said fund a proper obligation to refund the amount appropriated in case the property into which the funds go shall cease to be used for church or parsonage purposes.

Fourth, The General Secretary and the parent Board shall make a full and detailed report of all matters in their hands respectively appertaining to the money and business of our Conference Board of Church Extension, to our said Board at each session of our Annual Conference and to any member of our said Board whenever demanded.

JOHN A. RICH,

W. F. BRIGGS.

COMMITTEE OF INVESTIGATION.

Of reports concerning heretical teaching of Rev. A. H. Godbey, we beg leave to report that we have carefully investigated the reports and rumors concerning the heretical teaching and preaching of Dr. A. H. Godbey, and we find that the whole matter is a contention about words and not serious enough to further concern us.

Z. M. WILLIAMS,
GEO. J. WARREN,
W. T. MCCLURE,
Committee.

WINTON MEMORIAL TABLET.

To the Southwest Missouri Conference,

Dear Brethren:—The V. M. M. P-s' Association, at its session in Moberly, August 30, 1907, appointed the undersigned a committee to procure and place in Morrisville College a tablet or painting to the memory of George M. Winton, and requested us to ask you to co-operate with us in this undertaking.

If you will do so, we request you to appoint a committee of two preachers and two laymen, who with us, will constitute a committee of seven to which the work shall be entrusted.

We take the liberty in nominating for said committee: T. D. Payne, W. B. Buckner, G. M. Jones and S. E. Scroggins.

Signed: J. SPENCER,
J. C. SHACKELFORD,
W. S. WOODARD.

MEMOIRS

REV. JOHN CRAWFORD GIVEN.

Rev. John Crawford Given was born March the 21st, 1845, at Cleek's Mill, Virginia. He came of Presbyterian stock, and was raised in a Presbyterian home. When quite young he was soundly converted. Much of his theology was deducted from his own experience. A deep conviction by the Spirit of God, a conscious deliverance from sin, the witness of the Spirit, a Saviour that saved to the uttermost, and all that came to God by him were favorite subjects with him. His conversion was followed by a warm desire to lead others to the Saviour. Even before he was licensed to preach, he organized prayer meetings and Sunday Schools, visited the sick and prayed with them, exhorted his neighbors to turn to the Lord. This earnest employment of his talents for good, this manifest passion for souls, this holy relish for religious work was soon recognized by his church, and in August, 1876 he was licensed to preach by the Versailles Quarterly Conference, Rev. C. C. Woods, P. E. and William D. Steward, P. C.

In 1876 he was received on trial in the Southwest Missouri Annual Conference, and appointed to California Circuit, where he preached for three years. In the thirty-one years of Conference life he served eleven circuits or stations. He seldom stayed less than two years, and often remained until the time limit removed him. His ministry was blessed of the Lord and 2,000 souls were converted under his labors. Some of them are ministers in this and other Conferences, and many are active workers in the vineyard. Thus he set in motion rivulets of good that will widen and deepen as the years increase. David "served his generation and fell on sleep, and was gathered to his fathers." But David served all the generations since his death, and will continue to serve generations yet unborn. So Brother Given's life work is not done. He lives among us still. Being dead he yet speaks.

If we look for the secret of his success in the ministry, a number of reasons are clear. First, he loved his Lord. Amid his abundant labors and tireless efforts he could always say: "The love of Christ constraineth me." If he spoke with a spirit akin to that of the Apostles who turned the world up-side-down; if he preached at white heat; it was because he loved his Lord fervently.

He also loved men. He shook hands with more people than any one among us. He visited all classes, all nationalities. He drew to himself and to the church he represented men of professions and calling. He lived largely among the people and wholly for the people, because he loved them. He saw redeeming qualities and possibilities for good in the worst of men and for love's sake sought to bring them back to his Saviour. His love for men was akin to Paul's, who said: "I could wish myself accursed from Christ for my brethren," or Moses, who preferred death, rather than to see Israel lost.

He won men by the holiness of his character, and the purity of his life. Milton makes Satan flee from the presence of virtue, and as he hides his eyes from the insufferable light and retires into outer darkness, he is heard to mutter: "How awful goodness is." Tennyson said: "My strength is as strength of ten, because my heart is pure." This was an element of strength in the life of Brother Givens. His guarded effort, an ambition which he cherished, was to use the sublime in living and throw down upon men all around him the work of an unsullied character. Like a hero in one of Goldsmith's poems, he felt, he feared, he prayed for all.

And as the bird each fond endearment tries
To allure her new pledged offspring to the skies;
He tried each art, reprov'd each dull delay
Allured to brighter worlds, and led the way.

On the night of the April 17th, while preaching an Eqworth League sermon at the Springfield District Conference, in Marshfield, Mo., he was stricken with paralysis, from which he never recovered. He died ten days later in Springfield, Mo. He left a wife and three children to mourn his departure.

Dr. C. H. Briggs and W. P. Buckner conducted his funeral service in Campbell Street Church, Springfield, Mo., after which he was carried by kind hands and laid to rest in Oakwood Cemetery, in Harrisonville, Mo.

Where his flesh shall slumber in the ground,
Till the last trumpets joyful sound,
Then burst the grave with sweet surprise,
And in his Saviour's image rise.

REV. HENRY NEWTON WATTS.

(Copied from the Mss. of Annals of Methodism in Missouri, Vol. II, except last paragraph.)

Was born in Crawford County, Ill., November 8, 1820; was "born again" at Black Water camp ground, Johnson county, Mo., August 9, 1841, under the ministry of Thomas Wallace; joined the Methodist Church March, 1842, going twelve miles to a quarterly meeting to do so, and was attached to a class seven miles from his home, Jos. Dines, P. C., licensed to exhort in Cass county, August, 1843, by E. B. Headlee; licensed to preach near Pleasant Hill, January 20, 1844, J. M. Jamison, P. E., and joined the Missouri Conference in St. Louis, September, 1844.

His fields of labor, which reached through 46 years, were: Ripley Mission, Greenville Circuit, Cape Girardeau, Jaque's Prairie, Hillsboro, Union, Fredricktown, Charleston, Kansas Mission, New Madrid Circuit, Greenville, Steelville District, Plattin Circuit, Meramec, California, Columbus, Centerview, Benton, Bertrand, Oak Ridge, Morrisville, Marshfield, Walker, Papinsville, Freeman and Metz. Some he traveled repeatedly. In all he traveled Charleston Circuit twelve years.

In 1890 his name was relegated to the list of superannuates, where it remained until October 11, 1906, when he went home.

The above is a brief outline of a most unique life.

Born in Illinois, taken to Tennessee when two years old, to Kentucky when six, and to Missouri when sixteen. His father was a farmer, of a roving disposition, and Henry's school opportunities were nil.

In the summer of 1841, then living in Cass county, he had a spell of sickness, during which he promised the Lord, if he would raise him up, he would go to a camp meeting, soon to be held in Johnson county, twenty-five miles away, and seek religion. This he did and was gloriously converted.

His mother was a Methodist, his father did not belong to any church, but liked the doctrines taught by Alex. Campbell. There was no preaching, nor even any school house in his neighborhood. Being anxious for his mother and the rest of the family to have the benefits of religious services, he invited his preacher to preach in his father's house. This service was held November 10, 1843, he exhorting after the sermon. After the congregation was dismissed, his father bade him and his preacher to leave his house, which in a snow storm, he did, never again to call his father's house his home.

His father moved to Oregon in 1858, where he died in 1877, being 91 years old. His two youngest brothers are still living in Oregon and are local preachers in the M. E. Church, South.

Brother Watts had a most successful ministry—but few more so. It is safe to say that he received thousands into the church, and greatly strengthened believers in their faith.

Intellectually he was well endowed. He had an analytical mind, capable of close and careful thinking. Growing up as he did without school opportunities, and entering the ministry without an education; traveling large circuits that kept him almost continuously in the saddle, none but a genius could have accomplished what he did. He had a good knowledge of the laws of language, and wrote and spoke the English correctly. He had but few equals, and probably no superiors as an exegete. He was fond of passages of scripture, the meaning of which is difficult to discern. His careful analysis of such texts has relieved many minds hitherto perplexed by those intricate passages.

Although nature did so little for him, grace did a vast deal. He had a rich, genuine religious experience, was full of faith and the Holy Ghost and mighty in prayer. He communed much with God.

When young he was fond of solitude, and loved to walk and talk with his Lord in the great forests through which he traveled in his early ministry.

His first mission embraced most of the territory now in the Poplar Bluff and West Plains Districts.

He was invited to preach in a community where no preacher had yet been. The promise to do so was given. In the morning of the day appointed he started. Soon he reached the terminus of all roads and paths, and had to find his way through the wilderness by course. At noon he was in the pathless woods where he dined sumptuously on huckleberries. At 2 p. m.—three hours late—he found the cabin and found his congregation still waiting for him, to which he preached.

He was not only a "path finder," but more; he was a path maker.

At another time, when on the New Madrid Circuit, on a rainy day, he preached to a lone stranger from the text, "Fear not, little flock." The sermon was about sheep. As he and his auditor parted he asked him his name, and received the answer, "My name is Lamb." That was a personal sermon.

Brother Watts was twice married. First, to Miss Caroline McCormack, of Jefferson county, Mo., September 19, 1849. She died February, 1852.

Second, to Miss L. A. Smith of St. Francois county, Mo., October 16, 1855. She died April 27, 1905.

Of this good man I would like to write much more, but must soon put a final period to this sketch. He was a member of the General Conference of 1858, only a few of whom are yet living.

He was a charter member of our Veteran Association, and although never able to attend one of our meetings, he always sent us a letter assuring us that he was still homeward bound.

He was a poet as well as a preacher and an original poem of his will very appropriately close this sketch of him. It was a message to the old preachers.

- 1 "My friends of fifty years ago
 Have left me one by one;
 They finish up their work, I trow,
 And mine will soon be done.
- 2 To friends of later years, I leave
 This one, this last request;
 That when my work is fully done,
 They lay me down to rest.
- 3 Beyond the river may we meet
 Our friends, both young and old;
 And live again, in Paradise,
 Beyond the gates of gold."

This gentle, faithful, true, devout, sincere, saintly, good man was released from his sufferings, October 11, 1906, and passed up through "the gates of gold," to his well earned reward, in his Father's house, from which he will never be ejected. His home going was from the home of his son-in-law and daughter, Rev. and Mrs. C. E. W. Smith, Minaola. Texas.

His departure leaves me the senior member of my Conference.

W. S. WOODWARD.

REV. JOHN CLOVIS COSS.

Was born in Green County, Pa., March 23, 1840; where he joined the Methodist Church March, 1858, and was licensed to exhort May, 1866.

Later he moved to Missouri and joined the M. E. Church, South.

He was licensed to preach by the Quarterly Conference of Montevallo Circuit, N. J. Tillery, P. E., December 12, 1871. He joined this Conference at its session in Neosho, October 13, 1875, and was ordained deacon there and then. He was ordained elder, October 5, 1879.

His fields of labor were: Stocton, Little Osage and Nevada Circuits, each two years; Prairie Home, three years; California, two years; Prairie Home, two years; Arrow Rock, three years; Lee's Summit, two years; Otterville, two years; Herndon and Hustonia, two years; Prairie Home, Nelson, Dover and Providence, one year each. This brought him to 1900, when he was superannuated, in which relation he was continued till October 15th, 1906, when he was translated to his home in Heaven.

Brother Coss was a preacher thirty-five years, twenty-six of which he was an effective itinerant, four local and five a superannuate.

As a preacher he was neither brilliant nor profound; nevertheless, he was sensible and deeply spiritual. The people heard him gladly for he fed them with the bread of life that came down from Heaven.

As a pastor he took rank with the leading men of his Conference. He was a good mixer, his social qualities were fine, and he loved his people and they loved him.

He was confined for a year or more to his room, most of which time he was unable to converse.

"He was a good man, full of the Holy Ghost and of faith, and many people were aided unto the Lord," by his ministry.

W. S. WOODARD, For the Committee.

REV. JUNIUS T. SWANSON.

Junius T. Swanson, son of A. B. and Harriet Swanson, was born in Beadly County, Tenn., March 9th, 1867, died March 19th, 1907, forty years and ten days of age.

Brother Swanson had a good religious start by the careful training of his devout Christian parents, who were of the true Methodist type. He never had that vivid experience from which many people date their spiritual life. He was received into the Church at Stony Point, on the Chamois Circuit in Osage county, Rev. T. P. Hill, pastor, in 1887.

His growth in grace was constant and steady; he prayed for light and guidance and received them.

Concerning his experience as a Christian, he said a short while before his death: "Since the good day, now nearly twenty years ago, when I took the solemn vows of the Church, I have not seen an hour that I could not say, 'my heart is fixed.' I have never wavered in my purpose, I am still praying for a more tranquil state of grace. There is no end to the goodness of God." He has come to know what it all means.

Brother Swanson was licensed to preach by the Quarterly Conference of Chamois Circuit, May 24th, 1890, T. P. Hill, pastor; J. M. Clark, presiding elder.

He was recommended by the same Quarterly Conference, and was admitted on trial into the Southwest Missouri Conference in 1892, at the session held in Independence in September of that year, Bishop Galloway presiding.

He was ordained deacon by Bishop Hendrix in Jefferson City, in September, 1894. He was ordained elder by Bishop Galloway in Nevada, in September, 1896.

He served the following charges: Humonsville, Ash Grove, Seneca Station and Fair Groves. Then, because of failing health, he transferred to the West Texas Conference, and was stationed at Brady one year. Transferring back, he was stationed at Eldorado Springs. He was appointed to the Dale Street Church, Springfield, last fall.

Brother Swanson's preaching was effective and his labors fruitful in results; in building up the material interests, two churches and one parsonage were built on the charges he served. But best of all souls were converted and added to the church. He received into the church 309 persons during his ministry.

He was married to Miss Lida Critchfield in 1895, who with two children mourn the loss of husband and father. His beautiful Christian life and triumphant death are before us.

His death was as peaceful as his life had been beautiful. We miss him and mourn his loss, but we sorrow not as those without hopes.

COMMITTEE.

REV. SAMUEL LOPP.

Was born in Hickory County, Mo., June 2nd, 1845. He was converted in early life and joined the M. E. Church, South. He was ordained a deacon as a local preacher in 1879, and admitted on trial by this Conference in 1891. He had traveled several years as a supply, previous to this, and continued to travel some years longer; then, on account of throat trouble, he took a supernumerary relation in which he was continued till his death, which occurred in Clarkville, Mo., February 20th, 1907.

Brother Lopp never put himself on record in our book of memoirs, hence the meagerness of this memoir. A good man has gone home to rest.

W. S. WOODARD, For the Committee.

MRS. FANNIE LAMBKIN PIKE.

Mrs. Fannie Lambkin Pike was born at Carrollton, Mo., April 10th, 1867.

When a little girl she moved with her parents to Abingdon, Ill., where she was educated at Hedding College and St. Joseph's Academy, at Galesburg, Ill.

She was married by Rev. C. H. Briggs to Rev. W. G. Pike, in Kansas City, Mo., April 16th, 1889.

She gave her heart to God and the church early in life, and was "faithful unto death." She was active in the work of the church, especially the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society, in which she served as Secretary of the Lebanon District one year. It is needless to say, that under her management, the work prospered.

Her's was a beautiful life in intellect, character and service. Her sufferings were very severe through her entire illness; but she never murmured or complained and at the going down of the sun, on the third day of November, 1906, in Kansas City, Mo., with all the assurances of a glorious immortality, she entered into that rest, which remain for the people of God. Two children, Virginia Lee and Lou Given, with the heart broken husband mourn her loss. The funeral services were conducted at M. E. Church, South, in Independence, Mo., November 5th, by Rev. J. C. Given, assisted by Rev. Paul H. Lynn, A. R. Faris and O. M. Richman, after which all that was mortal, was consigned to its last resting place in the city cemetery, in Independence, Mo., to await the resurrection of the just.

HER HUSBAND.

TREASURER'S BALANCE SHEET**BISHOP'S FUND.**

Collections.	\$1,557.93	
Paid Smith & Lamar, Agents.		\$1,557.93

CONFERENCE CLAIMANTS.

Balance from last year.	\$ 2.42	
Collections.	5,034.39	
Methodist Benevolent Association.	1,065.57	
Western District Association.	261.50	
Colvin Bequest.	16.00	
Donation C. W. Thorpe.	10.00	
Special collection for Perry Long.	101.00	
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	\$6,490.88	
Disbursed to Claimants.		\$6,340.00
Special—Perry Long.		101.00
Expense Acct.—Conference Treasurer.		9.54
Expense Acct.—Secretary Joint Board.		1.80
Balance on hand.		38.54
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		\$6,490.88

FOREIGN MISSIONS.

Collections.	\$7,983.77	
Special—Korea.	175.42	
Special—Kwansei Gakuni	115.00	
Special—Lambuth Memorial	25.00	
Special—China Famine Fund.	35.75	
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	\$8,334.96	
Paid to J. D. Hamilton, Treasurer.		\$8,317.44
One-half Expenses of Representation at Meeting of Conference Missionary Secretaries.		17.50
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		\$8,334.94

DOMESTIC MISSIONS.

Balance from last year.	\$ 792.92	
Collections.	6,691.58	
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	\$7,484.50	
Paid to Domestic Missions.		\$5,825.00
Paid Salary Conference Missionary Evangelist.		1,500.00
Paid Expenses Conference Missionary Evangelist.		124.43
Paid Expense Acct. Conference Treasurer.		9.55
One-half Expenses of Representation at Meeting of Conference Missionary Secretaries.		17.50
Balance.		8.02
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		\$7,484.50

CHURCH EXTENSION.

Collections.	\$2,860.83	
Special—Church in Japan.	5.00	
Special—Oklahoma Conference.	24.50	
Special—Warrensburg Church.	260.62	
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	\$3,150.95	
Paid Dr. W. F. McMurry, Secretary.		\$ 29.50
Paid Judge John A. Rich, Treasurer Conference Board.		3,121.45
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		\$3,150.95

EDUCATION.

Balance from last year.	\$ 389.86	
Balance from Western Conference.	103.00	
Collections.	2,818.48	
Special—Lane College.	15.00	
	<u>\$3,326.34</u>	
Paid J. J. Pritchett for Conference Board.		\$ 100.00
Paid A. H. Barnes for Conference Board.		289.86
Paid Dr. J. D. Hammond, Paine and Lane from Western Conf..		30.00
Paid Dr. J. D. Hammond for General Board.		19.80
Paid Dr. J. D. Hammond for Educational Extension.		952.31
Paid Dr. J. D. Hammond for Lane College.		15.00
Paid Prof. T. Berry Smith for Central College.		774.24
Paid Dr. A. H. Godbey for Morrisville College.		774.24
Balance on hand.		370.89
		<u>\$3,326.34</u>

AMERICAN BIBLE SOCIETY.

Collections.	\$ 295.61	
Paid Wm. Foulke, Treasurer.		\$ 295.51
Balance. . . . .		.10
		<u>\$ 295.61</u>

SUPERANNUATED ENDOWMENT FUND.

Collections.	\$ 153.60	
Paid J. R. Stewart, Secretary and Treasurer.		\$ 153.60

CHILDREN'S DAY FUND.

Collections.	\$ 496.14	
Paid Dr. E. B. Chappell.		\$ 49.54
Paid J. D. Hammond.		49.54
Paid H. G. Henley, Treasurer.		396.34
Balance. . . . .		.72
		<u>\$ 496.14</u>

MINUTES—PRINTING, ETC.

Collections.	\$ 185.51	
Paid Dr. C. C. Woods, Secretary, Expence Account.		5.50
Paid Dr. C. W. Moore, Editor Conference Annual.		180.01
		<u>\$ 185.51</u>

C. H. BRIGGS, Conf. Treas.

A. L. MARSHALL, Asst.

REPORT OF AUDITING COMMITTEE.

We have examined the accounts of Dr. C. H. Briggs, Conference Treasurer, and find them correct.

C. N. SCRIVENER,
W. G. REASLEY,
Committee for Joint Board.

THE SOUTHWEST MISSOURI CONFERENCE ANNUAL.

To amount carried over from Conference year of 1905-6.	\$ 1.99	DISBURSE-
To amount received from Conference Treasurer.	219.11	
To advertisement.	45.00	
To sale of minutes and stamps received.	2.40	
	<u>\$ 268.50</u>	
Printing Conference Annual.		\$ 200.00
By cash C. C. Woods for sundries (1905-6).		5.40
Express, stamps, etc.		41.15
To Secretary's book.		3.75
Balance on hand		17.70
		<u>\$ 268.50</u>

C. W. MOORE, Editor Conference Annual.

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										No.	Value	Indebtedness	No.	Value	Indebtedness.			No.	Amt.	Amt. Insurance Carried	Premiums Paid	Loss Collected.
Kansas City District—Z. M. Williams, P. E.																						
K. C. Central.....	P. H. Linn	1	843	74	119	972	39	....	1	1	20000	.....	2	7500	.....	74000	64075.79	.....	.....	73300	599.48	.....
K. C. C. Melrose.....	J. J. Pritchett	.....	327	1	17	329	.....	6	1	1	35000	.....	1	6500	2200	.....	517.50	.....	.....	2600	274.00	.....
K. C. C. Troost.....	E. C. McVoy	.....	298	13	21	315	6	2	1	1	35000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	250.00	1	325	16500	.....	325
K. C. C. Olive.....	A. R. Faris	.....	354	8	38	312	4	5	2	1	25000	3500	1	3000	.....	.....	102.35	.....	.....	9000	.....	.....
K. C. C. Westport.....	A. H. Barnes	.....	298	5	34	312	5	3	1	1	21000	.....	1	6500	5500	.....	1315.00	.....	.....	1300	.....	.....
K. C. C. Institutional.....	C. W. Moore	.....	144	38	30	198	.....	1	1	1	75000	35000	.....	.....	.....	.....	12000.00	.....	.....	27000	.....	.....
K. C. C. Cleveland Avenue.....	L. P. Norfleet	.....	108	11	24	135	11	.....	1	1	8000	2000	.....	.....	.....	.....	632.50	.....	.....	6000	75.00	.....
K. C. C. Garland Avenue.....	J. M. Clark	.....	.....	4	4	57	4	1	1	1	3000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	400.00	.....	.....	2000	.....	.....
K. C. C. Mount Washington.....	W. V. Wyatt	.....	128	10	13	150	3	6	1	1	3500	.....	1	2500	800	1000	1000.00	.....	.....	3200	8.20	.....
K. C. C. Dallas and Martin City.....	J. C. Diggs	.....	167	32	6	195	9	.....	3	2	4500	.....	1	1500	.....	200	.....	.....	.....	3300	42.00	.....
Independence.....	O. M. Rickman	1	434	14	26	445	9	9	1	1	12000	.....	1	3000	.....	.....	266.58	.....	.....	6200	84.80	.....
Independence Ct.....	J. B. Swinney	.....	.....	14	20	142	10	.....	3	3	6000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	800.00	.....	.....	4000	25.00	.....
Swope.....	R. L. Pyle	1	110	2	15	123	1	.....	1	1	4500	.....	1	1200	.....	.....	42.00	.....	.....	1500	7.35	.....
Belton.....	T. M. Cobb	.....	142	1	14	148	1	.....	1	1	5000	.....	1	1500	.....	.....	50.00	1	15	5000	65.00	15
Harrisonville.....	L. F. Clark	.....	244	3	15	248	1	1	1	1	4000	275	1	2500	.....	.....	32.64	.....	.....	2500	6.00	.....
Pleasant Hill.....	R. G. Flummer	.....	194	3	4	186	3	.....	1	1	3000	.....	1	2000	.....	.....	224.00	.....	.....	3000	.....	10.26
Lee's Summit.....	L. F. Shook	.....	201	8	14	210	3	2	1	1	5000	.....	1	2500	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4000	.....	26.00
Lone Jack Ct.....	J. E. Wood	.....	252	22	7	227	13	.....	3	3	5000	.....	1	800	.....	.....	27.00	.....	.....	1300	.....	83.90
Oak Grove and Pleasant Pr.....	J. T. Pritchett	2	270	2	5	272	2	2	2	1½	4500	.....	1	1500	.....	.....	180.00	.....	.....	4075	14.00	.....
Blue Springs Ct.....	W. H. Suddath	1	234	31	21	268	27	.....	3	3	5000	.....	1	1200	.....	.....	165.00	.....	.....	2700	14.00	.....
Peculiar Ct.....	Alonzo Patison	.....	211	2	2	189	2	.....	2	2	4000	.....	1	1200	.....	.....	175.00	.....	.....	2000	15.00	.....
Drakemore and Sugar Creek.....	H. D. Huffline	.....	58	8	6	69	8	.....	2	1	2500	.....	1	1500	.....	.....	66.00	.....	.....	750	.....	.....
Garden City Ct.....	T. B. Harris	.....	173	4	8	179	4	2	2	2	4000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	67.00	.....	.....	2200	4.56	.....
East Lynne Ct.....	T. A. Huffline	1	178	22	25	185	22	.....	5	5	6000	.....	1	600	.....	.....	184.25	.....	.....	2000	.....	.....
TOTAL.....		7	5368	332	488	5866	187	40	41	37½	269000	41180	19	47000	8500	75200	82572.61	2	340	185425	1234.39	560.16
Lexington District—G. J. Warren, P. E.																						
Lexington.....	C. E. Pattillo	1	424	14	5	403	5	4	1	1	12000	.....	1	2500	.....	.....	300.00	.....	.....	13000	.....	.....
Waverly.....	C. V. Schulenberg	1	160	39	5	146	33	4	1	1	3000	.....	1	1000	.....	.....	95.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Higginsville.....	A. L. Marshall	.....	195	10	18	198	5	2	1	1	8000	.....	1	1400	800	.....	317.52	.....	.....	6000	.....	.....
Warrensburg.....	W. H. Comer	.....	219	5	13	195	2	3	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	8100	4125.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Lamont and Dresden.....	E. Y. Ginn	.....	241	3	3	241	1	1	3	3	5600	.....	1	1500	.....	.....	600.00	.....	.....	800	.....	.....
Dover and Providence.....	T. D. Payne	.....	101	.....	2	98	.....	1	3	3	3000	.....	1	650	.....	.....	130.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Corder and Blackburn.....	W. B. Cobb	.....	272	3	1	242	.....	1	3	3	4500	.....	1	800	.....	.....	53.00	.....	.....	3500	.....	.....
Odessa and Wellington.....	J. C. Saylor	.....	310	9	9	306	6	1	2	2	6500	.....	1	1500	100	.....	10.00	.....	.....	5500	.....	.....
Sweet Springs and Blackwater.....	S. S. Welborn	.....	264	4	6	264	2	1	3	3	7500	.....	1	1500	.....	50	1359.15	.....	.....	4850	29.50	.....
Houstonia and Herndon.....	J. W. Ezell	.....	265	1	4	253	.....	.....	3	3	5000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1800	10.00	.....
Longwood and High Point.....	C. T. Wallace	.....	207	.....	1	.....	.....	4	3	3	4100	.....	1	1000	.....	.....	75.00	.....	.....	3700	40.00	.....
Montserratt Ct.....	C. F. Prior	.....	155	33	7	184	18	4	5	2½	2700	.....	1	850	.....	.....	35.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pittsville Ct.....	W. F. Wagoner	.....	361	9	2	346	3	.....	4	4	5500	.....	.....	.....	.....	100	75.40	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Bates City Ct.....	N. M. Dowdy	3	293	6	4	250	3	2	4	4	5100	.....	1	800	.....	.....	25.00	.....	.....	1500	.....	.....
Buckner Ct.....	J. D. Wood	.....	337	5	11	347	5	.....	3	2	3000	.....	1	1500	.....	200	331.70	.....	.....	1800	10.00	.....
Otterville Ct.....	L. M. Phillips	.....	265	4	5	185	2	.....	5	5	5500	.....	1	600	.....	.....	218.12	.....	.....	1500	24.00	.....
Green Ridge Ct.....	Calvin Bruner	.....	213	12	1	213	9	.....	4	3½	4100	.....	1	600	.....	.....	125.35	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sedalla.....	J. A. Waller	.....	430	12	38	403	12	.....	1	1	18000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	800.00	.....	.....	6000	.....	.....
Lincoln and Prairie Chapel.....	B. V. Alton	.....	180	15	3	193	10	2	2	2	6000	.....	2	1000	.....	.....	268.00	.....	.....	3300	71.21	.....
Warsaw Ct.....	H. J. Rand	.....	210	6	8	208	4	1	4	3½	5000	.....	½	800	.....	2000	565.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
TOTAL.....		3	5102	190	146	4747	120	27	57	52½	114100	16½	17500	900	10450	9518.24	53250	184.71

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										No.	Value	Indebtedness	No.	Value	Indebtedness.			No.	Amt.	Amt. Insurance Carried	Premiums Paid	Loss Collected.
Marshall District—R. S. Hunter, P. E.																						
Marshall.....	J. E. McDonald	2	547	7	24	539	7	3	1	1	12500	.....	1	3500	.....	805.00	.....	.....	6500	34.50	.....
Malta Bend and Grand Pass.....	S. P. Cayton	.....	155	6	5	151	2	5	2	2	4000	.....	1	1000	.....	141.20	.....	.....	2250	11.30	.....
Miami and Mt. Carmel.....	W. H. Heslar	.....	192	5	3	184	4	2	3	3	12500	.....	1	1000	.....	100.60	.....	.....	6000	.....	.....
Gilliam and Cambridge.....	E. K. Wolfe	.....	283	.....	5	270	.....	.....	2	2	3000	.....	1	2500	.....	16.00	.....	.....	3000	.....	.....
Slater.....	W. M. Rader	.....	285	1	20	280	.....	.....	1	1	10000	.....	1	2500	.....	3375.00	.....	.....	7200	.....	.....
Orearville and Shiloh.....	.....	1	193	13	2	201	11	4	2	2	2500	.....	.....	.....	.....	94.90	.....	.....	2800	.....	.....
Arrow Rock and Smith's Chapel.....	.....	1	214	13	18	235	9	4	2	2	5000	.....	1	1000	.....	350.00	.....	.....	500	10.00	.....
Nelson Ct.....	E. T. Raney	1	147	17	1	174	3	1	4	1	6000	.....	.....	.....	.....	270.00	.....	.....	1500	.....	.....
Boonville.....	W. H. Winton	.....	284	3	5	277	1	1	1	1	8000	.....	1	7500	4000	5000	3514.10	.....	.....	2500	.....	.....
Pilot Grove and Pleasant Green.....	T. P. Cobb	.....	192	4	2	192	2	1	2	2	7000	.....	1	1900	.....	393.00	.....	.....	3750	12.00	.....
Bunceton and Bill Air.....	J. F. Caskey	.....	188	3	10	181	1	2	2	2	6000	.....	1	1000	.....	100.00	.....	.....	5000	25.00	.....
Glensted Ct.....	D. I. Slipher	.....	333	5	4	330	5	5	6	5	4500	.....	1	400	.....	73.40	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Vienna Ct.....	J. S. Wilcox	2	201	17	.....	218	11	3	4	4	1300	.....	1	1000	.....	19.90	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Versailles.....	S. W. Emory	2	192	7	4	195	5	.....	1	1	500	.....	1	1200	.....	1500	671.00	.....	.....	.....	.....
California Ct.....	W. H. Smith	.....	248	39	11	285	24	4	3	2	4700	.....	1	1300	.....	53.10	.....	.....	1700	.....	.....
Jamestown Ct.....	Samuel Lopp	.....	275	6	3	275	2	3	5	5	6500	.....	1	700	.....	500.00	.....	.....	1500	.....	.....
Russellville Ct.....	V. M. Crutsinge	2	338	69	16	423	46	11	8	5	5000	.....	1	900	.....	240.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Jefferson City and West End.....	U. G. Foote	.....	549	57	52	584	23	1	1	1	40000	.....	1	5000	.....	3000	514.00	.....	.....	16000	.....	.....
Nyrene Mission.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Linn Ct.....	.....	.....	570	20	13	570	20	.....	6	3	6300	.....	1	800	.....	.....	.....	.....	2400	.....	.....
TOTAL.....		11	5386	292	198	5564	176	50	56	46	145300	.....	17	33200	4000	9500	11230.30	.....	.....	62600	92.80	.....
Nevada District—W. A. McClanahan, P. E.																						
Nevada Centenary.....	W. T. McClure	.....	397	6	33	399	6	4	1	1	16500	.....	1	2500	.....	2435.00	.....	.....	5250	39.00	.....
Nevada Austin and Arch St.....	J. G. Haynes	1	175	12	15	202	10	1	2	2	4500	.....	1	1000	.....	30.00	.....	.....	3000	13.50	.....
Sheldon and Marvin.....	C. L. Stouffer	.....	239	34	12	342	.....	.....	2	2	3000	.....	1	500	.....	.....	.....	.....	2050	10.75	.....
Moundville Ct.....	J. R. Hargis	1	300	12	15	306	8	.....	4	4	7100	.....	1	900	.....	300	158.82	1	58	4600	36.75	58.00
Richards and Stotesbury.....	F. H. Orear	.....	240	38	16	283	23	.....	3	3	4900	915	1	800	400	.....	895.00	.....	.....	2800	.....	.....
Hume and Underwood.....	T. H. Clayton	.....	255	.....	4	244	.....	1	2	2	4000	.....	1	700	.....	.....	129.30	.....	.....	3000	22.50	.....
Sprague Ct.....	I. A. Smith	1	294	12	11	399	8	1	5	3	5000	.....	1	600	.....	.....	11.75	.....	.....	3500	38.00	.....
Rich Hill.....	Perry Long	.....	156	.....	31	154	.....	.....	1	1	10000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	146.47	.....	.....	2500	5.00	.....
Butler.....	W. D. Amack	1	179	.....	10	178	.....	.....	1	1	7500	525	1	1800	.....	.....	9.50	.....	.....	1800	.....	.....
Passaic Ct.....	L. A. Blevans	.....	166	7	6	179	1	.....	5	3	3500	.....	1	1000	50	.....	53.65	.....	.....	900	13.65	.....
Archie Ct.....	W. B. Buel	.....	208	6	10	192	6	1	4	4	6200	.....	1	600	.....	.....	130.25	.....	.....	3200	11.77	.....
Spruce Ct.....	J. W. Riley	3	419	15	9	418	14	3	6	6	7100	.....	1	1000	.....	312	222.80	.....	.....	2400	10.45	.....
Chilhowie Ct.....	A. S. Swanson	3	263	10	20	.....	10	1	4	4	5300	.....	1	1000	.....	150	1750.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Huntingdale Ct.....	W. F. Briggs	.....	235	6	4	203	3	.....	2	2	2500	.....	1	700	.....	.....	136.86	.....	.....	2300	6.25	.....
Windsor.....	F. E. Gordon	1	281	9	14	292	6	.....	1	1	7000	.....	2	3000	.....	.....	25.00	.....	3.50	6000	37.50	3.50
Windsor Ct.....	J. K. Speer	1	251	19	4	246	14	2	5	5	5700	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	150.90	.....	.....	2500	.....	.....
Calhoun Ct.....	R. J. Kyle	.....	280	11	1	271	8	1	2	2	6500	500	1	1500	.....	.....	300.82	.....	.....	4000	4.50	.....
Clinton.....	W. C. Bewley	.....	201	2	13	216	1	.....	1	1	8000	.....	1	2600	.....	.....	375.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Montrose Ct.....	B. A. McKnight	.....	350	12	6	340	1	2	4	4	6000	.....	1	1500	.....	.....	100.00	.....	.....	3000	.....	.....
Appleton City Ct.....	.....	.....	269	3	7	233	3	1	4	4	5300	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	165.00	1000	6.00	.....
Eldorado Springs.....	J. R. Strong	.....	162	.....	12	164	.....	.....	1	1	3000	.....	1	1000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
TOTAL.....		12	5320	214	253	5261	120	18	60	56	128600	.....	19	22700	450	762	7061.12	1	226.50	53900	255.62	61.50

Carthage District—W. C. Hill, P. E.																			
Carthage.....S. G. Keys	1	286	3	24	289	3	1	1	1	4000	.....	1	2500	.....	6500	.....	.....	2500	.....
Carterville.....O. E. Vivian	.....	195	21	11	205	9	.....	1	1	10000	.....	1	1000	.....	.....	.....	.....	4000	30.00
Webb City.....J. H. Cleaver	2	382	24	21	415	15	1	1	2	12000	.....	1	4000	500	.....	.....	.....	16000	.....
Joplin.....F. M. Burton	2	302	42	56	419	32	2	2	2	41000	10000	1	3000	.....	.....	1333.40	.....	.....	.....
Neosho.....E. E. Swanson	4	257	8	16	263	6	.....	1	1	12000	.....	1	3000	1000	.....	323.44	.....	8400	30.00
Seneca and Racine.....W. M. Smith	.....	95	4	10	100	2	3	2	2	7500	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4159.01	.....	3000	31.20
Granby and Diamond.....A. G. Moore	.....	97	.....	1	95	.....	.....	2	1	1200	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	330.00	.....	.....	3.80
Duenweg Ct.....	1	48	36	6	90	26	.....	2	2	3000	.....	1	800	250	.....	80.00	.....	900	4.20
Newtonia Ct.....J. E. Owens	2	435	12	6	436	6	3	5	5	8500	.....	1	800	.....	.....	222.35	.....	.....	.....
Pineville Ct.....J. E. Harvey	.....	179	2	.....	85	.....	.....	3	3	3474	.....	1	874	.....	.....	174.00	.....	.....	.....
Southwest City Ct.....	.....	200	2	1	199	.....	.....	3	3	2700	.....	1	100	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Jasper Ct.....	.....	216	23	9	241	23	.....	4	4	4500	.....	1	600	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sarcoxie Ct.....W. D. Kelley	2	271	40	19	272	25	1	3	3	3500	.....	1	1000	.....	.....	103.23	.....	1800	18.28
Pierce City Ct.....C. C. Berry	.....	183	6	4	209	5	.....	4	4	7500	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5000	35.00
Monett.....C. N. Scrivener	.....	190	.....	11	171	.....	5	1	1	2000	.....	1	2500	.....	.....	.....	.....	2500	.....
Cassville Ct.....P. Sinclair	.....	193	13	5	165	11	1	5	2½	3000	338	1	400	.....	50	100.00	.....	.....	.....
Powell Ct.....W. A. Patton	.....	90	43	4	125	31	.....	4	1	800	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Miller Ct.....L. B. Edwards	.....	173	.....	1	174	.....	.....	4	4	3600	.....	1	300	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Lawrenceburg Ct.....R. B. Cooper	1	75	30	24	120	16	.....	4	2	1400	.....	1	600	.....	30	38.00	1	12.00	.....
S. Greenfield Ct.....	1	235	7	4	244	4	.....	4	4	3150	.....	1	750	.....	.....	50.00	.....	.....	.....
Jerico.....A. J. Gearheard	.....	142	23	24	178	16	3	1	1	2500	.....	1	900	.....	.....	108.87	.....	1800	7.20
Jerico Ct.....R. E. Carson	.....	267	8	.....	100	1	.....	5	3	2400	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Montevallo.....M. Larkin	.....	182	12	5	190	8	1	4	3	4350	.....	1	500	.....	.....	50.00	.....	.....	.....
Lamar Ct.....G. H. Green	2	72	6	.....	159	4	.....	4	4	5900	.....	1	750	.....	.....	31.35	1	10.85	2500
TOTAL.....	18	4855	265	253	4947	243	21	70	59½	149874	10338	19	24371	1750	6580	7383.15	2	22.85	48400
Springfield District—W. P. Buckner, P. E.																			
Springfield St. Paul.....C. H. Briggs	4	518	9	78	527	6	2	1	1	45000	7100	1	5000	.....	.....	.....	.....	15000	.....
Springfield Campbell St.....J. C. Given	2	295	35	46	357	16	3	1	1	7000	.....	1	2000	.....	.....	377.55	.....	3250	.....
Springfield Dale St.....J. T. Swanson	.....	224	13	19	237	10	4	1	1	2500	.....	1	1200	.....	.....	28.00	.....	1050	3.45
Elwood Ct.....R. W. Shemwell	2	292	20	7	319	18	3	4	4	4750	.....	1	600	.....	.....	73.00	.....	1100	.....
Williard and Ebenezer.....R. N. Allen	1	256	22	6	273	17	2	2	2	4000	.....	2	800	.....	409	350.00	.....	2500	28.00
Morrisville.....J. L. Sullens	4	314	18	21	336	14	1	1	1	600	.....	1	1200	.....	1500	100.00	.....	.....	.....
Morrisville Ct.....Jacob Shook	2	346	.....	5	335	.....	4	4	4	3150	.....	1	900	.....	200	302.06	.....	750	.....
Fair Grove Ct.....J. W. Ogdon	1	475	7	17	460	.....	3	5	6	7500	.....	1	800	.....	300	214.25	.....	800	16.00
Ash Grove and Bois D'Arc.....L. L. Pinnell	1	320	2	5	247	1	2	2	2	3000	.....	1	800	.....	.....	187.50	.....	1000	5.50
Ozark Ct.....C. B. Day	.....	250	60	8	313	45	.....	3	3	2500	.....	1	400	.....	.....	75.00	.....	.....	.....
Aldrich Ct.....H. M. White	.....	.....	.....	.....	175	.....	3	3	3	3000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	48.00	.....	.....	.....
Mount Grove and Norwood.....J. B. Ellis	1	163	.....	7	127	.....	2	4	4	5000	35	.....	.....	.....	.....	210.16	.....	.....	.....
Marshfield.....W. H. Hargrove	.....	166	5	21	180	5	2	1	1	3700	.....	1	750	.....	.....	110.00	.....	2400	15.00
Buffalo Ct.....F. W. Fesferman	3	112	4	.....	113	4	.....	5	5	3500	.....	1	300	.....	75	40.00	.....	.....	.....
Niangua.....J. J. Kellar	3	557	34	12	683	21	.....	7	7	4900	.....	1	800	.....	.....	80.00	.....	.....	.....
Lebanon.....J. H. Pritchett	.....	222	11	.....	211	12	5	1	1	2500	.....	1	1250	.....	.....	.....	.....	2500	.....
Stoutland.....T. W. Barlow	1	25	7	3	275	7	.....	6	6	3500	.....	1	600	.....	.....	8.00	.....	.....	.....
Dixon and Waynesville.....W. O. Troutman	.....	240	30	2	257	30	.....	2	2	3300	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	50.00	.....	800	.....
Richland Ct.....G. W. Parker	.....	152	7	4	163	.....	.....	4	4	3500	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	70.00	.....	.....	.....
Lowry City Ct.....J. J. Hill	1	262	1	20	274	1	1	4	3½	4400	.....	1	300	.....	.....	44.10	.....	.....	.....
Roscoe Ct.....W. K. White	.....	71	21	4	120	17	7	4	4	3500	.....	.....	125	.....	.....	284.13	.....	.....	.....
Cross Timbers Ct.....H. P. Tuck	3	300	16	5	321	13	.....	7	6	4700	.....	2	1200	.....	30	30.00	.....	.....	.....
Bollivar and Walnut Grove.....C. H. Cleaver	.....	180	4	7	179	3	.....	3	3	5300	.....	1	800	.....	.....	.....	.....	500	.60
TOTAL.....	29	5940	320	297	6487	240	42	73	74½	130800	7135	20½	20275	2505	2681.80	31650	68.55

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Western District—J. E. Alexander, P. E.		2	194	7	45	203	4	2	1	1	2300	1	2000	288.04	4000	11.75	
Kansas City, Kansas.....	A. N. James	.....	170	3	.....	165	1	2	2	2	5000	150	1	2750	300	.....	1697.00	.....	.....	3500	20.50	.....
Rosedale and Belview.....	C. W. Litchfield	1	96	8	5	104	5	1	3	3	7000	.....	1	700	.....	.....	152.35	.....	.....	3700	27.68	.....
Wyandotte Ct.....	J. W. Payne	.....	100	.....	.....	100	.....	.....	3	3	2500	.....	1	500	.....	.....	8.66	.....	.....	1600	3.85	.....
Oskaloosa Ct.....	.....	.....	151	30	7	160	15	4	2	2	3200	.....	1	1800	.....	.....	134.80	.....	.....	2600	.....	.....
Julian Ct.....	.....	.....	152	17	3	165	9	2	3	3	5500	.....	1	800	.....	.....	2650.00	.....	.....	3300	56.11	.....
Fairmont.....	G. C. Loch	1	123	20	6	121	14	.....	3	3	3400	.....	1	850	.....	.....	84.00	1	4.25	1450	7.00	4.25
Holton Ct.....	H. J. Miller	1	154	.....	3	154	.....	1	2	2	3000	.....	1	800	.....	.....	114.95	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Kickapoo and Potter.....	A. C. Clendening	.....	75	.....	2	69	.....	3	2	2	3000	.....	1	800	50	.....	.....	.....	.....	1450	2.50	.....
Effingham Ct.....	C. C. Howard	.....	103	18	32	133	10	6	1	1	9000	.....	1	1200	.....	.....	2700.00	.....	.....	4000	31.00	.....
Atchison.....	J. A. Jared	1	213	12	2	215	9	3	1	1	4500	.....	1	2000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3500	35.00	.....
Council Grove.....	F. M. Hayes	.....	112	.....	1	85	.....	.....	2	2	3000	.....	1	300	200	.....	50.00	.....	.....	2250	13.00	.....
Kelso Ct.....	W. A. Brewer	.....	79	11	.....	81	10	1	2	2	3000	.....	1	1250	.....	.....	452.34	.....	.....	1500	18.50	.....
Augusta.....	B. F. Coburn	.....	98	.....	.....	98	.....	.....	2	2	4500	.....	1	1000	.....	.....	67.49	.....	.....	2450	14.75	.....
Arkansas City Ct.....	.....	.....	80	.....	4	81	.....	.....	2	1	1200	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Elk City Ct.....	W. E. Tull	.....	157	3	10	170	4	1	2	2	4200	.....	1	1500	.....	.....	567.80	.....	.....	2500	.....	.....
Bucyrus and Stillwell.....	T. C. Puckett	.....	160	14	2	150	7	1	2	2	1800	.....	1	500	.....	.....	75.00	.....	.....	2500	19.00	.....
Hillsdale Ct.....	G. M. Blaine	.....	84	6	22	92	1	1	2	2	2500	.....	1	800	.....	.....	40.00	.....	.....	2200	20.00	.....
Corbin Ct.....	R. F. Lyon	1	64	4	1	50	3	6	1	2	1200	.....	1	600	.....	.....	37.95	.....	.....	400	.....	.....
Bronson Ct.....	Ira Karr	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
TOTAL.....		7	2365	153	145	2396	92	34	38	38	69800	150	18	20150	300	250	9120.38	1	4.25	42900	280.64	4.25	
Name of District—Presiding Elder.																							
Kansas City.....	Z. M. Williams	7	5368	332	488	5866	187	40	41	37½	269000	41180	19	47000	8500	75200	82572.61	2	340.00	185425	1234.39	560.16	
Lexington.....	G. J. Warren	3	5102	190	146	4747	120	27	57	52½	114100	.....	16½	17500	900	10450	9513.24	.....	.....	53250	184.71	.....
Marshall.....	R. S. Hunter	11	5386	292	198	5564	176	50	56	46½	145300	.....	17	33200	4000	9500	11230.30	.....	.....	62600	92.80	.....
Nevada.....	W. A. McClanahan	12	5320	214	253	5261	120	18	60	56½	128600	1940	19	22700	450	762	7061.12	1	226.50	53800	255.62	61.50	
Carthage.....	W. C. Hill	18	4855	365	253	4947	243	21	70	50½	149874	10338	19	24374	1750	6580	7383.15	2	22.85	48400	182.18	18.85	
Springfield.....	W. P. Buckner	29	5949	326	297	6487	240	42	73	74½	130800	7135	20½	20275	.....	2505	2681.80	.....	.....	31650	68.55	.....
Western.....	J. A. Alexander	7	2365	153	145	2396	92	34	38	38	69800	150	18	20150	300	250	9120.38	1	4.25	42900	280.64	4.25	
TOTAL.....		87	34445	1872	1780	35268	1178	232	395	365½	1007474	60743	129	185199	15900	105247	129562.60	6	593.60	478025	2298.89	644.76	

Table No. 2.—Epworth Leagues, Sunday Schools and Woman's Work.

NAME OF CHARGE	PREACHER IN CHARGE	EPWORTH LEAGUES							SUNDAY SCHOOLS							Woman's Foreign Missionary Society			Woman's Home Mission Society			Total Collections by Both Women's Societies	
		No. of Senior Leagues	No. Sr. League Members	No. of Junior Leagues	No. Jr. League Members	Total League Members	Raised by Leagues for Missions	Raised by Leagues for Other Objects	Total Raised by Leagues	No. of Sunday Schools	Officers and Teachers	Scholars Enrolled During Year	Collected for Missions	Collected Children's Day	Collected for Other Objects	Total Raised by Sunday Schools	No. of Societies	No. of Members	Total Money Raised	No. of Societies	No. of Members		Total Money Raised
Kansas City District—Z. M. Williams, P. E.																							
K. C. Central.....	P. H. Linn	1	162	1	38	200	25.00	75.00	100.00	1	37	562	82.13	2.13	285.97	370.23	2	196	620.52	2	169	1822.39	2442.91
K. C. Melrose.....	J. J. Pritchett	1	54	1	46	100				1	30	208	50.00	12.75	207.25	270.00	1	45	256.35	1	65	612.97	869.32
K. C. Troost.....	E. C. McVoy	1	30			30		10.00	10.00	1	15	150	75.00		319.04	394.04	1	29	138.70	1	50	1100.50	1239.20
K. C. Olive.....	A. R. Faris	1	44	1	51	95	62.40	26.00	88.40	2	26	275	46.00	1.20	142.88	190.08	2	53	104.84	2	54	536.75	641.59
K. C. Westport.....	A. H. Barnes	1	45	1	43	88	48.65		48.65	1	21	185	44.00		201.00	245.00	1	40	188.50	1	58	883.50	1075.00
K. C. Institutional.....	C. W. Moore	1	20	1	25	45		75.00	75.00	2	21	275	56.00	3.75	70.00	229.76				1	24	90.00	90.00
K. C. Cleveland Avenue.....	L. P. Norfleet	1	30	1	25	55		13.50	13.50	1	12	183	18.00	4.05	67.78	90.08				1	25	207.00	207.00
K. C. Garland Avenue.....	J. M. Clark			1	30	30				1	11	97	14.00	5.00	30.22	49.22				1	11	220.22	220.22
K. C. Mount Washington.....	W. V. Wyatt	1	41		41	10.00	58.04	68.04		1	20	180	35.45	6.00	231.62	273.07				1	30	324.70	324.70
K. C. Dallas and Martin City.....	J. C. Diggs	1	20		20	5.00	4.50	9.50		2	18	125		9.35	57.50	66.85	1	20	80.00				80.00
Independence.....	O. M. Rickman	1	67	1	45	112	45.00	85.84	130.84	1	22	215	42.24	5.50	204.63	252.37	1	34	128.65	1	41	285.07	413.22
Independence Ct.....	J. B. Swinney									3	33	175			66.00	63.00	2	39	320.00				320.00
Swope.....	R. L. Pyle	1	31			31				1	12	148	12.50	4.50	43.00	60.00	1	14	28.05				28.05
Belton.....	T. M. Cobb									1	10	95	25.00			74.60	1	16	86.10	1	17	305.13	391.23
Harrisonville.....	L. F. Clark	1	38			38	35.00	27.75	62.75	1	14	142	12.92	6.11	5.00	24.03							
Pleasant Hill.....	R. G. Flummer									1	13	109	14.60	6.70	43.18	64.48	1	16	73.60	1	24	116.17	189.77
Lee's Summit.....	L. F. Shook	1	49			49	10.00	25.00	35.00	1	17	150	23.80		64.64	88.44							
Lone Jack Ct.....	J. E. Wood	3	81			81		68.00	68.00	3	23	138	10.36	11.13	21.00	42.41							
Oak Grove and Pleasant Pr.....	J. T. Pritchett	1	15			15	5.00		5.00	1	23	260	14.90	10.00	87.21	112.11	1	10		1	20	167.45	167.45
Blue Springs Ct.....	W. H. Suddath	1	25			25	10.00		10.00	2	12	100	13.88	3.53	18.00	35.41	1	10	15.00				15.00
Peculiar Ct.....	Alonzo Patison	1	23			26	10.00	2.60	12.60	2	18	240											
Drakemore and Sugar Creek.....	H. D. Huffine	2	32			32	21.50	45.99	67.49	2	15	175			60.00	60.00							
Garden City Ct.....	T. B. Harris	2	70	2	50	120	10.00		10.00	2	24	200	26.32	5.00	70.00	101.32	1	16	36.00				
East Lynne Ct.....	T. A. Huffine	1	20	1	17	37		5.00	5.00	3	20	200			70.00	70.00	1	20					
TOTAL.....		24	900	11	370	1270	297.55	722.22	819.82	37	473	4587	717.10	96.70	2565.92	3229.56	18	558	2076.31	15	588	6674.85	8714.66
Lexington District—G. J. Warren, P. E.																							
Lexington.....	C. E. Pattillo	1	99			99	25.00	87.70	112.70	1	35	365	50.00		237.86	290.86	1	45	125.00	1	48	70.00	195.00
Waverly.....	C. V. Schulenberg	1	43			43	15.00	5.00	20.00	1	9	125			32.00	32.00							
Higginsville.....	A. L. Marshall	1	50			50	46.95	51.95	98.90	1	15	140	26.95	4.00	98.12	129.77	1	48	110.00				110.00
Warrensburg.....	W. H. Comer	1	35	1	30	65	9.65	11.60	21.25	1	11	108	20.00		80.26	100.26	1	21	16.50	1	10	205.00	221.50
Lamont and Dresden.....	E. Y. Ginn	1	20			20	30.00	8.00	38.00	3	26	185			85.00	87.00	1	30	66.00				66.00
Dover and Providence.....	T. D. Payne	1	27			27		10.00	10.00	3	17	135	4.91		27.00	31.91				1	10	35.00	35.00
Corder and Blackburn.....	W. B. Cobb	1	17			17	5.00	20.00	25.00	2	15	141		4.25	50.18	54.42	1	18	105.73	1	17	128.00	233.73
Odessa and Wellington.....	J. C. Saylor	2	58			88	40.00	37.00	77.00	2	27	277	20.00	6.35	147.05	173.40	1	44	125.64				125.64
Sweet Springs and Blackwater.....	S. G. Welborn	1	21			21		27.00	27.00	3	31	196	18.79		74.14	92.93				3	57	144.84	144.84
Houstonia and Herndon.....	J. W. Ezell									3	18	150			40.00	40.00							
Longwood and High Point.....	C. T. Wallace	1	26			26		34.37	34.37	2	14	100		12.50		12.50	2	52	80.00				80.00
Montserratt Ct.....	C. F. Prior	1	15			15		5.00	5.00	2	10	82			25.00	25.00				2			
Pittsville Ct.....	W. F. Wagoner									4	25	233			40.00	40.00	1	14	8.00				8.00
Bates City Ct.....	N. M. Dowdy	1	33			33	15.00	40.00	55.00	2	15	89			41.38	41.79							
Buckner Ct.....	J. D. Wood									5	29	135			42.18	42.18				1	20	466.80	466.80
Otterville Ct.....	L. M. Phillips									4	25	156		3.00	33.95	37.55							
Green Ridge Ct.....	Calvin Brainer	1	32			32		144.50	144.50	1	20	185	68.00			222.10	1	142	376.15	1	44	508.07	884.22
Sedalia.....	J. A. Waller	1	25			25	5.00		5.00	2	15	175	15.21		55.00	70.21				1	17	46.60	46.60
Lincoln and Prairie Chapel.....	B. V. Alton	1	30			30				2	12	25			10.00	10.00							
Warsaw Ct.....	H. J. Rand									2	12	25											
TOTAL.....		16	561	1	30	591	191.60	482.12	673.72	46	394	3146	223.86	30.70	1119.12	1532.27	10	414	1013.02	12	223	1604.31	2617.33

Table No. 2.—Epworth Leagues, Sunday Schools and Woman's Work.

NAME OF CHARGE	PREACHER IN CHARGE	EPWORTH LEAGUES							SUNDAY SCHOOLS							Woman's Foreign Missionary Society			Woman's Home Mission Society			Total Collections by Both Women's Societies	
		No. of Senior Leagues	No. Sr. League Members	No. of Junior Leagues	No. Jr. League Members	Total League Members	Raised by Leagues for Missions	Raised by Leagues for Other Objects	Total Raised by Leagues	No. of Sunday Schools	Officers and Teachers	Scholars Enrolled During Year	Collected for Missions	Collected Children's Day	Collected for Other Objects	Total Raised by Sunday Schools	No. of Societies	No. of Members	Total Money Raised	No. of Societies	No. of Members		Total Money Raised
Marshall District—R. S. Hunter, P. E.																							
Marshall.....	J. E. McDonald	1	63	.....	.....	63	10.00	27.54	37.54	1	30	308	69.00	7.58	84.31	160.89	3	106	225.29	1	33	212.55	437.76
Malta Bend and Grand Pass.....	S. P. Cayton	1	22	.....	.....	22	.....	3.05	25.05	2	18	164	53.88	13.72	69.21	136.81	1	23	72.29	.....	.....	.....	72.29
Miami and Mt. Carmel.....	W. H. Heslar	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	18	150	15.32	.....	42.99	58.31	1	17	131.75	.....	.....	.....	131.75
Gilliam and Cambridge.....	E. K. Wolfe	1	35	1	12	47	25.00	10.00	35.00	2	20	177	16.00	2.40	55.73	74.13	.....	.....	.....	1	34	100.85	100.85
Slater.....	W. M. Rader	1	38	.....	.....	38	25.00	5.40	30.40	1	20	183	25.00	6.48	76.36	107.79	3	73	163.55	1	22	99.10	262.65
Orearville and Shiloh.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	14	85	7.00	15.15	.....	22.15	1	11	48.11	.....	.....	.....	48.11
Arrow Rock and Smith's Chapel.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	17	125	.....	10.50	60.25	70.75	1	20	133.00	.....	.....	.....	133.00
Nelson Ct.....	E. T. Raney	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4	27	172	.....	.....	20.00	27.27	1	10	50.00	1	8	1.00	51.00
Boonville.....	W. H. Winton	1	25	1	25	50	35.00	33.98	68.98	1	17	165	90.00	5.00	78.50	173.50	1	35	62.68	1	32	301.90	364.58
Pilot Grove and Pleasant Green.....	T. P. Cobb	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	18	140	.....	.....	43.14	43.14	1	15	22.75	.....	.....	.....	22.75
Bunceton and Bill Air.....	J. F. Caskey	1	30	.....	.....	30	.....	.....	.....	2	17	130	24.00	.....	74.00	98.00	1	10	10.00	1	12	40.00	50.00
Glensted Ct.....	D. I. Slipher	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	16	120	.....	.....	21.50	21.50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Vienna Ct.....	J. S. Wilcox	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	9	30	.....	.....	21.00	21.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Versailles.....	S. W. Emory	1	52	1	32	84	.....	68.00	68.00	1	15	158	25.00	.....	62.00	87.00	1	23	65.00	.....	.....	.....	65.00
California Ct.....	W. H. Smith	1	35	1	32	67	10.80	8.30	19.10	2	22	150	18.46	16.21	96.73	131.40	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Jamestown Ct.....	Samuel Lopp	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4	26	172	.....	.....	29.03	29.03	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Russellville Ct.....	V. M. Crutsinger	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4	24	150	.....	.....	34.00	34.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Jefferson City and West End.....	U. G. Foote	1	60	.....	.....	60	50.00	15.00	65.00	1	25	304	50.00	15.00	183.00	251.00	1	46	84.00	.....	.....	.....	84.00
Nyrene Mission.....	.....	1	30	.....	.....	30	.....	3.00	3.00	2	30	211	.....	.....	135.00	141.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Linn Ct.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
TOTAL.....		10	390	4	101	491	155.80	174.27	352.07	40	383	3144	393.66	91.99	1189.75	1688.67	16	389	163.42	6	141	755.40	1823.74
Nevada District—W. A. McClanahan, P. E.																							
Nevada Centenary.....	W. T. McClure	1	62	.....	.....	62	25.00	24.30	49.30	1	24	257	107.13	3.86	178.04	289.03	1	34	139.53	1	50	353.00	492.53
Nevada Austin and Arch St.....	J. G. Haynes	1	30	2	52	82	25.00	25.00	50.00	2	24	160	25.00	3.40	.....	28.40	1	20	2.70	1	7	43.00	45.70
Sheldon and Marvin.....	C. L. Stouffer	2	60	.....	.....	60	.....	9.80	9.80	2	24	170	14.41	50.00	27.67	92.08	2	25	45.00	1	12	38.50	83.50
Moundville Ct.....	J. R. Hargis	2	75	1	18	93	20.00	26.00	46.00	4	42	270	24.47	8.01	75.13	107.61	1	40	22.15	.....	.....	.....	22.15
Richards and Stotesbury.....	E. H. Orear	3	56	1	18	74	48.00	39.00	87.00	3	22	193	20.00	.....	50.00	70.00	.....	.....	.....	1	19	100.00	100.00
Hume and Underwood.....	T. H. Clayton	1	9	1	25	34	5.00	14.25	19.25	2	29	175	18.72	10.27	54.34	83.33	.....	.....	.....	1	11	92.60	92.60
Sprague Ct.....	I. A. Smith	1	30	.....	.....	30	10.00	90.00	100.00	4	23	190	9.05	3.55	.....	12.25	.....	.....	.....	2	24	17.45	17.45
Rich Hill.....	Perry Long	1	25	1	30	55	24.10	15.90	40.00	1	14	152	19.37	4.60	84.82	108.79	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Butler.....	W. D. Amack	1	14	.....	.....	14	.....	21.95	21.95	1	20	80	36.00	.....	65.03	122.98	.....	.....	.....	1	26	89.90	89.90
Passaic Ct.....	L. A. Blevans	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	14	85	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	13	14.35	.....	.....	.....	14.35
Archle Ct.....	W. B. Buel	1	21	.....	.....	21	.....	.....	.....	4	30	150	8.65	5.80	2.00	16.45	1	14	77.48	.....	.....	.....	77.48
Spruce St.....	J. W. Riley	1	11	.....	.....	11	12.00	.....	12.00	4	36	300	18.84	19.84	63.75	153.93	.....	.....	.....	1	11	42.60	42.60
Chilhowie Ct.....	A. S. Swanson	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	25	175	15.50	.....	70.00	85.50	1	.....	60.75	1	11	101.56	162.31
Huntingdale Ct.....	W. F. Briggs	1	37	.....	.....	37	35.00	21.68	56.68	2	14	150	4.57	.....	36.37	40.94	2	25	49.54	.....	.....	.....	49.54
Windsor.....	F. E. Gordon	1	34	.....	.....	34	30.00	10.00	40.00	1	15	140	36.00	4.90	65.00	105.90	2	41	91.50	1	22	235.00	326.50
Windsor Ct.....	J. K. Spear	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4	49	250	.....	5.00	54.89	59.89	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Calhoun Ct.....	R. J. Kyle	1	40	.....	.....	40	.....	15.70	15.70	2	24	180	13.61	.....	84.57	98.18	1	.....	75.00	.....	.....	.....	75.00
Clinton.....	W. C. Bewley	1	20	1	30	50	.....	10.00	10.00	1	14	150	85.00	2.10	.....	87.10	1	18	39.75	.....	.....	.....	39.75
Montrose Ct.....	B. A. McKnight	1	35	.....	.....	35	.....	47.00	47.00	4	25	200	.....	.....	50.00	50.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Appleton City Ct.....	.....	1	19	.....	.....	19	5.00	9.00	14.00	3	16	158	.....	3.50	46.70	50.20	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Eldorado Springs.....	J. R. Strong	1	20	1	30	50	.....	60.00	60.00	1	12	80	8.00	3.50	.....	11.50	1	20	45.00	.....	.....	.....	45.00
TOTAL.....		22	598	8	203	801	239.10	439.58	678.68	53	496	3665	464.32	128.33	1008.31	1674.06	15	250	662.75	11	193	1113.61	1776.96

Carthage District—W. C. Hill, P. E.																						
Carthage.....	1	35			35	73.00	10.00	83.00	1	14	150	40.00	5.00	90.00	135.00	1	21	106.00	1	25	214.00	320.00
Cartersville.....						28.00		28.00	1	15	200	28.50		85.50	114.00	1	23	103.60			103.60	
Webb City.....	1	44	1	16	60	50.00	115.00	165.00	2	34	633	100.50		338.01	438.51	1	44	394.13			394.13	
Joplin.....	1	33			33	27.00	4.95	31.95	2	27	373	139.26	11.18	213.32	363.76	3	87	245.71	1	67	676.20	921.91
Neosho.....	1	44			44		12.50	12.50	1	14	155	67.15		91.15	158.30	1	17	34.33	1	26	1296.23	1330.56
Seneca and Racine.....									1	7	50			25.00	25.00				1	19	50.00	50.00
Granby and Diamond.....									1	0	54				25.00							
Duenweg Ct.....	1	25			25				2	20	100		1.75	32.25	34.00							
Newtonia Ct.....									4	37	345	31.12		131.79	162.91	1	10	16.15			16.15	
Pineville Ct.....			1	17	17	10.00		10.00	1	10	75	10.00	1.70		11.70				1	20		
Southwest City Ct.....									2	15	75											
Jasper Ct.....	2	40			40		17.05	17.05	3	25	170	5.01		50.00	55.01							
Sarcoxie Ct.....	3	95			95	19.65	61.46	81.11	3	30	270	33.34	3.03	83.23	119.60	1	15	34.60			34.60	
Pierce City Ct.....	1	14			14				3	21	177		3.25	36.00	39.25							
Monett.....	1	20	1	20	40		15.00	15.00	1	10	150		2.76	65.00	65.00	1	20	50.90	1	26	265.15	316.05
Casville Ct.....									2	21	136	7.00		65.00	72.00							
Powell Ct.....									1	8	60			5.00	5.00							
Miller Ct.....									2	16	150			20.00	20.00							
Lawrenceburg Ct.....									2	9	70	3.00			3.00							
S. Greenfield Ct.....									4	40	330	2.00	1.28	40.00	43.28							
Jerico.....	1	54			54	25.00	38.00	63.00	1	15	152	25.41	3.08	46.60	75.09							
Jerico Ct.....									1	6	50	2.14		15.00	17.14							
Montevallo.....									2	12	100			25.00	25.00							
Lamar Ct.....									4	21	120	10.50	3.15	32.00	45.65							
TOTAL.....	13	404	3	53	457	232.65	273.96	506.61	47	436	4148	504.93	36.18	1489.85	2053.20	10	237	985.42	6	183	2501.58	3487.00
Springfield District—W. P. Buckner, P. E.																						
Springfield St. Paul.....	1	35	1	60	95		70.00	70.00	1	23	250	126.81	5.50	261.60	393.91	3	175	437.48	1	69	694.32	1131.80
Springfield Campbell St.....	1	45			45	20.40	8.00	28.40	1	19	150	25.10		139.50	164.50	1	44	82.06	1	34	179.79	261.85
Springfield Dale St.....	1	32	1	45	77		62.40	62.40	1	23	183	10.00		72.07	86.27	1	20	24.00	1	19	36.45	60.45
Elwood Ct.....									4	26	280		2.70	60.00	62.70	1	19	18.00			18.00	
Williard and Ebenezer.....	1	35			35	10.00	40.00	50.00	2	19	220			70.00	70.00	2	32	80.00	1	11		80.00
Morrisville.....	1	64			64	10.00		10.00	1	22	300	27.50		72.50	100.00	3	46	100.25			100.25	
Morrisville Ct.....									4	38	250			14.50								
Fair Grove Ct.....	3	105			105		10.90	10.90	3	28	198	8.76	11.21	103.46	123.43	1	11	15.00	1	14	90.95	105.95
Ash Grove and Bois D'Arc.....									2	14	150	6.70		45.00	51.70							
Ozark Ct.....	1	42			42	5.00	7.50	12.50	3	20	160	5.00	5.00	75.00	85.00							
Aldrich Ct.....	1	50			50		42.00	42.00	4	20	125			67.50	67.50							
Mount Grove and Norwood.....	1	29	1	30	59	10.00	20.50	30.50	2	24	222	18.57		107.57	130.53	1	20	17.75			17.75	
Marshfield.....	1	35	1	37	72	25.00	11.50	36.50	1	17	165	20.18	7.15	85.12	112.45	1	23	56.55			56.55	
Buffalo Ct.....									1	16	165				40.00							
Niangua.....	1	16	1	35	51	9.00	10.00	19.00	7	45	200		3.50	19.00	22.50							
Lebanon.....	1	20	1	25	45	187.00		187.00	1	12	101			65.00	73.00				1	10		
Stoutland.....	1	54			54				3	20	150			25.00	25.00							
Dixon and Waynesville.....	2	75	2	78	153	7.50	44.00	51.50	2	23	200	20.00	15.30	87.50	122.80							
Richland Ct.....									4	23	140											
Lowry City Ct.....									2	8	80			31.93	31.93							
Roscoe Ct.....									3	10	157		4.50		4.50							
Cross Timbers Ct.....	1	31			31		63.44	63.44	3	24	140											
Bollivar and Walnut Grove.....	1	23			23	10.00		10.00	3	18	175		1.27	45.00	46.27							
TOTAL.....	19	691	8	310	1001	293.90	390.24	684.14	58	492	4101	268.02	56.33	1447.25	1813.99	14	390	831.09	6	157	1001.51	1832.60

Table No. 2.—Epworth Leagues, Sunday Schools and Woman's Work.

NAME OF CHARGE	PREACHER IN CHARGE	EPWORTH LEAGUES							SUNDAY SCHOOLS						Woman's Foreign Missionary Soc ^y			Woman's Home Mission Society			Total Collections by Both Women's Societies		
		No. of Senior Leagues	No. Sr. League Members	No. of Junior Leagues	No. Jr. League Members	Total League Members	Raised by Leagues for Missions	Raised by Leagues for Other Objects	Total Raised by Leagues	No. of Sunday Schools	Officers and Teachers	Scholars Enrolled During Year	Collected for Missions	Collected Children's Day	Collected for Other Objects	Total Raised by Sunday Schools	No. of Societies	No. of Members	Total Money Raised	No. of Societies		No. of Members	Total Money Raised
Western District—J. E. Alexander, P. E.																							
Kansas City, Kansas.....	A. N. James	1	46	1	27	73	26.65	19.40	46.05	1	15	140	37.14	3.83	138.76	178.73	1	18	17.00	1	18	153.94	170.94
Rosedale and Belview.....	C. W. Litchfield	2	62	.....	.....	62	18.00	71.00	89.00	2	18	202	14.40	1.75	55.28	71.43	1	16	25.68	1	21	76.49	102.18
Wyandotte Ct.....	J. W. Payne	2	69	.....	.....	69	10.00	7.14	17.14	2	22	185	10.00	4.47	108.32	122.79	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Oskaloosa Ct.....	.....	2	60	1	15	75	50.00	36.73	86.73	1	6	30	.....	.....	10.00	10.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Julian Ct.....	.....	1	35	.....	.....	35	13.00	.....	13.00	3	25	155	20.00	9.00	70.45	99.45	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Fairmont.....	G. C. Loch	1	35	.....	.....	35	.....	.....	13.00	3	25	155	20.00	9.00	70.45	99.45	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Holton Ct.....	H. J. Miller	1	25	.....	.....	25	.....	16.00	16.00	3	30	118	.....	5.55	43.81	49.36	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Kickapoo and Potter.....	A. C. Clendening	1	32	.....	.....	32	5.00	5.50	10.50	2	12	131	9.05	8.00	47.40	64.45	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Effingham Ct.....	C. C. Howard	1	35	.....	.....	35	.....	.....	.....	2	9	60	.75	.....	3.00	3.75	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Atchison.....	J. A. Jared	1	27	1	33	60	10.00	15.00	25.00	1	8	88	10.00	2.00	60.00	72.00	1	16	32.00	1	14	38.71	70.71
Council Grove.....	F. M. Hayes	1	30	1	12	42	.....	23.00	23.00	1	14	156	.....	.....	75.00	75.00	1	10	18.70	1	15	15.00	33.70
Kelso Ct.....	W. A. Brewer	1	20	.....	.....	20	.....	.....	.....	2	10	110	.....	.....	35.00	35.00	.....	.....	.....	2	12	50.00	50.00
Augusta.....	B. F. Coburn	1	12	.....	.....	12	.....	.....	.....	2	12	70	.....	.....	33.00	33.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Arkansas City Ct.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	7	30	.....	.....	14.00	14.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Elk City Ct.....	W. E. Tull	2	62	1	16	78	10.00	52.40	62.40	2	16	80	5.00	3.80	41.50	50.30	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Bucyrus and Stillwell.....	T. C. Puckett	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	18	145	16.53	6.85	86.22	109.60	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Hillsdale Ct.....	G. M. Blaine	1	15	.....	.....	15	.....	5.00	5.00	2	20	88	.....	.....	71.38	73.42	.....	.....	.....	1	10	20.98	20.98
Corbin Ct.....	R. F. Lyon	1	15	.....	.....	15	.....	5.00	5.00	2	18	160	11.78	3.08	55.00	69.86	.....	.....	.....	1	10	35.00	35.00
Bronson Ct.....	Ira Karr	1	17	.....	.....	17	.....	.....	.....	1	8	41	.....	2.78	26.08	28.86	.....	.....	.....	1	7	27.00	27.00
TOTAL.....		19	547	5	103	650	142.65	251.17	393.82	34	288	2134	146.81	56.11	1029.06	1233.02	5	77	93.38	10	122	526.92	620.31
Name of District—Presiding Elder.																							
Kansas City.....	Z. M. Williams	24	900	11	370	1270	297.55	522.22	819.82	374	473	4587	717.10	96.70	2565.92	3229.56	18	558	2076.31	15	588	6674.85	8714.66
Lexington.....	G. J. Warren	16	561	1	90	591	191.60	482.12	673.72	463	394	3146	223.86	30.70	1119.12	1532.27	10	414	1013.02	12	223	1604.31	2617.33
Marshall.....	R. S. Hunter	10	390	4	101	491	155.80	174.27	352.07	40	383	3144	393.66	91.99	1189.75	1688.67	16	389	168.42	6	141	755.40	1823.74
Nevada.....	W. A. McClanahan	22	598	8	203	801	239.10	439.58	678.68	53	496	3665	454.32	128.33	1008.31	1674.06	15	250	662.75	11	193	1113.61	1776.36
Carthage.....	W. C. Hill	13	404	3	53	457	232.65	273.96	506.61	47	436	4148	504.93	36.18	1489.85	2053.20	10	237	985.42	6	183	2501.58	3487.00
Springfield.....	W. P. Buckner	19	891	8	310	1001	293.90	390.24	684.14	584	492	4161	268.62	56.33	1447.25	1813.99	14	390	931.09	6	157	1001.51	1832.60
Western.....	J. A. Alexander	19	547	5	103	650	142.65	251.17	393.82	34	288	2134	146.81	56.11	1029.06	1233.02	5	77	93.38	10	122	526.92	620.31
TOTAL.....		23	4091	40	1170	5261	1553.35	2513.56	4108.86	3164	2962	24985	2719.30	496.34	9849.26	13224.77	88	2316	5830.39	66	1607	14178.18	20872.00

Special for Missions Reported on Table No. 1—Dallas and Martin City, \$25.00; Independence, \$10.00; Harrisonville, \$5.00; Higginsville, \$6.50; Marshall, \$35.00; Malta Bend and Grand Pass, \$55.00; Jefferson City and West End, \$500.00; Windsor, \$2.90; Joplin, \$20.00; Neosho, \$5.21; Kansas City, Kan., \$4.00; Rosedale and Belview, \$28.00; Julian Ct., \$50.00; Fairmount Ct., \$10.00; Atchison, \$10.00; Bucyrus and Stillwell, \$18.50; Bronson Ct., \$3.00.

Special for Missions Reported on Table No. 2.—Warrensburg, \$321.76; Marshall, \$25.33; Malta Bend and Grand Pass, \$50.00; Slater, \$195.45; Orearville and Shiloh, \$48.11; Boonville, \$16.00; Nevada, Austin and Arch St., \$15.00; Richards and Stotesbury, \$29.00; Windsor, \$5.00; Springfield, \$126.81; Fair Grove Ct., \$229.28; Rosedale and Belview, \$28.00.

Table No. 3—Financial, 1907

NAME OF CHARGE PREACHER IN CHARGE	PRESIDING ELDER		PREACHERS IN CHARGE		BISHOPS		CONFERENCE CLAIMANTS		FOREIGN MISSIONS		DOMESTIC MISSIONS		CHURCH EXTENSION		EDUCATION		AMER. BIBLE SOCIETY	PRINTING MINUTES		SUPERANNUATES ENDMT. FUND	Paid for Objects Not Elsewhere Reported
	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid		Ass'd	Paid		
Kansas City District. Z. M. Williams, P. E.																					
K. C. Central..... .....P. H. Linn	310.00	310.00	2000.00	2000.00	50.00	50.00	115.50	120.50	250.00	250.00	176.00	183.00	112.00	112.00	95.00	95.00	10.00	4.62	4.62	.....	64057.29
K. C. Melrose..... .....J. J. Pritchett	270.00	270.00	1800.00	1800.00	38.00	38.00	103.50	103.50	215.00	215.00	162.00	162.00	87.00	87.00	85.00	85.00	10.00	4.14	4.14	.....	1335.09
K. C. Troost..... .....E. C. McVoy	230.00	230.00	1800.00	1800.00	38.00	38.00	101.50	101.50	210.00	220.00	138.00	138.00	82.00	82.00	85.00	85.00	1.00	4.06	4.09	.....	1940.00
K. C. Olive..... .....A. R. Faris	150.00	150.00	1300.00	1300.00	15.00	15.00	72.50	74.50	135.00	135.00	82.00	82.00	55.00	55.00	35.00	35.00	4.45	2.90	2.90	.....	.....
K. C. Westport..... .....A. H. Barnes	165.00	165.00	1500.00	1500.00	25.00	25.00	83.25	83.25	135.00	135.00	86.00	86.00	63.00	63.00	43.00	48.00	.....	3.33	3.33	.....	293.50
K. C. Institutional.. .....C. W. Moore	65.00	65.00	1000.00	1000.00	6.00	6.00	53.25	53.25	35.00	35.00	22.00	22.00	15.00	15.00	15.00	15.00	.75	2.13	2.13	.....	7900.00
K. C. Cleveland Ave. .....L. P. Norfleet	20.00	20.00	875.00	875.00	5.00	5.00	44.75	43.75	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	4.00	4.00	4.00	4.00	.....	1.79	1.79	.....	132.69
K. C. Garland Ave.. .....J. M. Clark	20.00	20.00	350.00	250.00	2.00	2.00	18.50	12.50	10.00	10.00	7.00	7.00	2.00	2.00	1.00	1.00	.....	.74	1.25	.....	.....
K. C. Mt. Washington.....U. V. Wyatt	40.00	40.00	800.00	800.00	7.00	7.00	42.00	44.00	25.00	25.00	22.00	22.00	5.00	5.00	13.00	13.00	1.00	1.68	2.58	.....	.....
K. C. Dallas and Mar- tin City..J. C. Diggs	75.00	69.00	625.00	592.00	8.00	6.00	35.00	35.00	55.00	45.00	42.00	32.00	20.00	15.00	17.00	9.00	2.00	1.40	1.40	.....	.....
Independence.....O. M. Rickman	165.00	165.00	1200.00	1200.00	25.00	25.00	68.25	68.25	150.00	150.00	86.00	83.00	68.00	73.00	50.00	50.00	10.00	2.73	2.73	10.00	454.00
Independence Ct.. .....J. B. Swinney	50.00	50.00	600.00	575.00	8.00	8.00	32.50	31.50	40.00	40.00	20.00	20.00	16.00	16.00	16.00	16.00	1.00	1.30	1.25	.....	1330.50
Swope.....R. L. Pyle	50.00	50.00	650.00	650.00	8.00	8.00	35.00	35.00	35.00	35.00	25.00	25.00	16.00	16.00	20.00	20.00	5.00	1.50	1.50	.....	.....
Belton.....T. M. Cobb	85.00	85.00	700.00	700.00	11.00	11.00	39.25	39.25	60.00	60.00	45.00	45.00	20.00	20.00	20.00	20.00	3.85	1.57	1.57	10.00	102.08
Harrisonville.....L. F. Clark	95.00	95.00	800.00	815.00	12.00	12.00	44.75	44.75	75.00	75.00	48.00	48.00	22.00	22.00	25.00	25.00	4.20	1.79	1.79	.....	304.18
Pleasant Hill..... .....R. G. Flummer	70.00	70.00	635.00	635.00	12.00	12.00	35.25	35.25	65.00	65.00	40.00	40.00	23.00	23.00	23.00	23.00	1.50	1.41	1.41	.....	174.89
Lee's Summit..... .....L. F. Shook	80.00	80.00	800.00	800.00	18.00	18.00	44.00	44.00	75.00	75.00	46.00	46.00	35.00	35.00	30.00	30.00	1.00	1.76	1.76	.....	162.93
Lone Jack Ct.. .....I. E. Wood	80.00	77.25	500.00	485.55	11.00	12.00	29.00	29.00	60.00	60.00	42.00	42.00	22.00	22.00	22.00	22.00	.....	1.16	1.16	.....	195.28
Oak Grove and Pleas- ant Pr..J. T. Pritchett	90.00	83.00	700.00	669.00	18.00	18.00	39.50	39.50	80.00	80.00	52.00	52.00	35.00	35.00	32.00	32.00	1.90	1.58	1.60	.....	180.00
Blue Springs Ct..... .....W. H. Suddath	80.00	80.00	555.00	555.00	11.00	11.00	31.75	31.75	70.00	70.00	38.00	38.00	20.00	20.00	20.00	20.00	.....	1.27	1.27	.....	240.00
Peculiar Ct..... .....Alonzo Patison	80.00	80.00	600.00	625.00	18.00	18.00	34.00	34.00	60.00	60.00	42.00	42.00	22.00	22.00	28.00	33.00	4.00	1.36	1.30	.....	272.00
Drakemore and Sugar Creek..H. D. Huffline	20.00	20.00	375.00	404.38	4.00	4.00	19.75	21.00	15.00	15.00	12.00	12.00	6.00	6.00	5.00	5.00	.60	.79	.79	.....	64.95
Garden City Ct..... .....T. B. Harris	80.00	80.00	600.00	591.00	10.00	9.00	34.00	30.00	55.00	55.00	37.00	52.50	20.00	20.00	11.00	9.00	.....	1.36	1.35	.....	112.00
East Lynne Ct.. .....T. A. Huffline	50.00	42.55	400.00	330.30	5.00	5.00	22.50	22.50	30.00	30.00	20.00	20.00	10.00	10.00	5.00	5.00	1.40	.90	.....	.....	50.40
TOTAL	2420.00	2399.80	21215.00	20902.23	365.00	363.00	1181.75	1177.25	1950.00	1950.00	1300.00	1315.50	780.00	780.00	700.00	700.00	63.55	47.27	46.87	32.50	79302.78

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NAME OF CHARGE PREACHER IN CHARGE	PRESIDING ELDER		PREACHERS IN CHARGE		BISHOPS		CONFERENCE CLAIMANTS		FOREIGN MISSIONS		DOMESTIC MISSIONS		CHURCH EXTENSION		EDUCATION		AMER. BIBLE SOCIETY	PRINTING MINUTES		SUPERANNUATES ENDMT. FUND	Paid for Objects Not Elsewhere Reported
	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid		Ass'd	Paid		
Lexington District. G. J. Warren, P. E.																					
Lexington.....C. E. Patillo	185.00	185.00	1500.00	1500.00	32.00	32.00	84.25	84.25	170.00	170.00	130.00	130.00	55.00	55.00	55.00	55.00	.....	3.37	.....	.....	230.00
Waverly.....C. V. Schulenberg	70.00	57.50	500.00	447.00	12.00	.....	28.50	17.00	70.00	.....	40.00	35.00	17.00	.....	28.00	.....	.....	1.14	.....	.....	180.75
Higginsville.....A. L. Marshall	80.00	80.00	750.00	750.00	17.00	17.00	41.50	41.50	80.00	80.00	60.00	143.00	30.00	30.00	43.00	43.00	2.48	1.66	1.65	.....	236.00
Warrensburg.....W. H. Comer	80.00	80.00	700.00	700.00	17.00	16.00	39.00	39.00	80.00	53.00	50.00	45.00	30.00	30.00	38.00	5.00	.....	1.56	1.36	.....	124.25
Lamont and Dresden.....E. Y. Ginn	80.00	80.00	700.00	700.00	17.00	17.00	39.00	39.00	80.00	80.00	65.00	55.00	32.00	32.00	38.00	.....	.....	1.56	1.50	.....	108.00
Dover and Providence.....T. D. Payne	70.00	68.00	550.00	532.75	14.00	8.00	31.00	31.00	60.00	24.00	40.00	17.21	20.00	7.00	25.00	7.00	1.05	1.24	1.25	3.70	.....
Corder and Blackburn.....W. B. Cobb	85.00	85.00	615.00	615.00	17.00	17.00	35.00	35.00	85.00	85.00	60.00	60.00	32.00	32.00	43.00	43.00	10.00	1.40	1.50	.....	89.00
Odessa and Wellington.....J. C. Saylor	80.00	80.00	675.00	675.00	17.00	17.00	37.75	37.75	80.00	80.00	60.00	55.00	32.00	32.00	43.00	43.00	.....	1.51	1.51	.....	282.75
Sweet Spgs and Blackwater.....S. G. Welborn	85.00	85.00	700.00	703.50	17.00	15.00	39.25	39.25	85.00	85.00	65.00	65.00	32.00	15.00	43.00	10.00	5.50	1.57	1.57	.....	109.74
Houstonia and Herndon.....J. W. Ezell	75.00	75.00	600.00	600.00	17.00	15.00	33.75	33.75	75.00	45.00	55.00	36.65	30.00	10.00	33.00	.....	2.65	1.35	1.00	.....	.....
Longwood and High Point.....C. T. Wallace	80.00	78.00	600.00	592.00	17.00	15.00	34.00	34.00	70.00	60.00	60.00	45.00	25.00	18.00	31.00	18.00	2.66	1.36	1.00	.....	.....
Montserrat Ct.....C. F. Prior	65.00	65.00	432.00	405.00	14.00	7.00	26.35	23.50	60.00	65.00	45.00	45.00	22.00	.....	26.00	.....	.....	1.05	1.00	.....	.....
Pittsville Ct.....W. F. Wagoner	70.00	70.00	500.00	500.00	12.00	12.00	28.50	25.00	55.00	38.75	40.00	40.00	22.00	.....	26.00	12.35	1.00	1.14	1.00	.....	90.00
Bates City Ct.....N. M. Dowdy	75.00	75.00	640.00	523.00	12.00	12.00	35.75	29.75	60.00	60.00	40.00	40.00	22.00	22.00	26.00	26.00	3.00	1.43	1.40	.....	35.00
Buckner Ct.....J. D. Wood	80.00	75.00	600.00	543.30	17.00	12.05	34.00	32.05	75.00	41.10	45.00	25.00	22.00	16.00	28.00	15.00	1.51	1.36	1.50	.....	115.11
Otterville Ct.....L. M. Phillips	70.00	70.00	430.00	452.25	12.00	13.00	26.50	30.00	55.00	57.00	30.00	31.00	15.00	16.00	23.00	24.00	3.18	1.06	1.10	.....	45.57
Green Ridge Ct.....Calvin Bruner	60.00	60.20	500.00	510.80	9.00	7.00	28.00	28.00	45.00	40.00	30.00	30.00	15.00	12.28	23.00	23.00	3.67	1.12	1.10	.....	.....
Sedalia.....J. A. Wailes	160.00	160.00	1200.00	1375.00	20.00	20.00	68.00	68.00	100.00	100.00	80.00	80.00	35.00	35.00	48.00	48.00	2.00	2.72	2.72	.....	325.00
Lincoln and Prairie Chapel.....B. V. Alton	80.00	80.00	700.00	700.00	12.00	12.00	39.00	35.00	75.00	75.00	55.00	55.00	22.00	22.00	38.00	38.00	.....	1.56	1.00	.....	450.21
Warsaw Ct.....H. J. Rand	60.00	51.30	427.00	365.70	9.00	2.00	24.35	18.00	45.00	10.00	30.00	10.00	15.00	5.00	25.00	3.00	2.00	.98	.75	.....	.....
TOTAL	1630.00	1660.00	13379.00	13196.30	311.00	266.24	753.45	720.80	1505.00	1255.35	1080.00	1042.86	525.00	389.28	681.00	413.35	40.70	30.14	23.91	3.70	2421.38

Marshall District. R. S. Hunter, P. E. Marshall																					
.....J. E. McDonald	185.00	185.00	1500.00	1500.00	40.00	40.00	21.25	85.00	200.00	200.00	150.00	150.00	60.00	60.00	95.00	95.00	28.33	3.37	3.37	.....	1133.06
Malta Bend and Grand Pass.....S. P. Cayton	90.00	90.00	725.00	725.00	18.00	18.00	40.75	40.75	80.00	80.00	60.00	60.00	30.00	30.00	40.00	40.00	5.10	1.63	1.65	5.00	218.15
Miami and Mt. Car- mel.....W. H. Heslar	105.00	105.00	750.00	735.00	18.00	18.00	42.75	42.75	90.00	90.00	60.00	60.00	32.00	32.50	40.00	40.00	5.00	1.71	1.60	.....	169.00
Gilliam and Cam- bridge....E. K. Wolfe	100.00	100.00	700.00	746.50	18.00	18.00	40.00	40.00	30.00	90.00	65.00	65.00	35.00	35.00	40.00	40.00	18.00	1.60	1.60	.....	163.32
Slater																					
.....W. M. Rader	120.00	120.00	1000.00	1000.00	30.00	30.00	50.00	50.00	110.00	110.00	85.00	85.00	38.00	38.00	55.00	55.00	.....	2.24	2.25	.....	.....
Orearville and Shiloh																					
.....Arrow Rock and Smith's Chapel.....	60.00	60.00	450.00	459.85	14.00	14.00	25.50	25.50	50.00	50.00	35.00	35.00	15.00	15.00	22.00	22.00	.....	1.02	1.00	.....	107.36
Nelson Ct.....	85.00	85.00	630.00	630.00	18.00	18.00	36.25	35.25	85.00	85.00	60.00	60.00	30.00	30.00	38.00	38.00	2.50	1.45	1.50	.....	325.00
.....E. T. Raney	50.00	50.00	300.00	400.00	8.00	8.00	17.50	17.50	40.00	40.00	25.00	25.00	12.00	12.00	18.00	18.00	.....	.70	.70	.....	985.00
Boonville																					
.....W. H. Winton	160.00	160.00	1200.00	1200.00	30.00	30.00	68.00	68.00	160.00	140.00	95.00	95.00	42.00	42.00	60.00	50.00	.....	2.72	2.72	.....	.....
Pilot Grove and Pleas- ant Green..F. P. Cobb	90.00	90.00	610.00	610.00	15.00	15.00	35.00	35.00	80.00	81.00	50.00	51.00	30.00	30.85	30.00	30.00	6.00	1.40	1.40	.....	395.24
Bunceton and Bill Air.....J. F. Caskey	100.00	100.00	800.00	800.00	18.00	18.00	45.00	45.00	90.00	90.00	70.00	70.00	35.00	35.00	40.00	40.00	.....	1.80	1.80	.....	.....
Glensted Ct.....																					
.....D. I. Slipper	50.00	50.00	300.00	400.00	5.00	5.00	17.50	17.50	30.00	30.00	25.00	25.00	12.00	9.00	10.00	10.00	1.00	.70	.90	.....	15.10
Vienna Ct.....																					
.....J. S. Wilcox	40.00	40.00	300.00	280.00	5.00	.....	17.00	10.10	10.00	10.00	15.00	15.00	3.00	.....	8.00	.....	.....	.68	.....	.....	.....
Versailles																					
.....S. W. Emory	80.00	80.00	600.00	650.00	15.00	15.00	34.00	36.50	65.00	65.00	55.00	72.00	25.00	25.00	35.00	35.00	5.00	1.36	.....	.....	672.50
California Ct.....																					
.....W. H. Smith	80.00	80.00	575.00	584.74	13.00	13.00	32.75	32.75	50.00	50.00	30.00	30.00	20.00	20.00	22.00	22.00	2.05	1.31	1.31	.....	.....
Jamestown Ct.....																					
.....Samuel Lopp	65.00	63.25	500.00	480.50	10.00	7.00	28.25	28.00	30.00	40.00	30.00	40.00	15.00	15.00	18.00	18.00	.....	1.13	.....	.....	70.00
Russellville Ct.....																					
.....V. M. Crutsinger	60.00	67.00	300.00	716.00	3.00	3.00	18.00	25.00	30.00	35.00	20.00	41.20	10.00	10.00	10.00	12.00	2.50	.72	1.40	1.40	34.00
Jefferson City and West End..U. G. Foot	190.00	190.00	1800.00	1800.00	40.00	40.00	99.50	100.00	200.00	200.00	150.00	150.00	60.00	60.00	95.00	95.00	.....	3.98	2.00	26.10	.....
Linn Ct.....																					
.....	80.00	80.00	600.00	752.00	12.00	12.00	30.00	30.00	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00	12.00	12.00	20.00	20.00	.....	1.36	1.16	.....	.....
Myrene Mission																					
TOTAL	1800.00	1795.25	13640.00	14469.59	330.00	322.00	772.00	770.60	1530.00	1526.00	1120.00	1169.20	516.00	511.35	696.00	680.00	75.44	30.88	26.39	5.00	4187.73

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	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid		Ass'd	Paid		
Nevada District.																					
W. A. McClanahan, P.E.																					
Nevada Centenary.....	200.00	200.00	1200.00	1200.00	24.00	24.00	70.00	70.00	160.00	160.00	120.00	120.00	50.00	43.96	50.00	40.00	5.00	2.80	2.80
.....W. T. McClure																					
Nevada Austin and Arch St..J. G. Haynes	70.00	70.00	550.00	550.00	9.00	9.00	31.00	31.00	35.00	35.00	30.00	30.00	18.00	18.00	20.00	20.00	2.00	1.24	1.25	51.15
Sheldon and Marvin.....	80.00	80.00	600.00	600.00	12.00	12.00	34.00	34.00	50.00	50.00	37.00	37.00	23.00	23.00	29.00	8.52	1.36	1.36	94.04
.....C. L. Stouffer																					
Moundville Ct.....	70.00	70.00	570.00	519.20	10.00	10.00	29.00	30.00	47.00	48.00	35.00	89.00	18.00	19.00	23.00	23.00	6.08	1.28	1.20	91.00
.....J. R. Hargis																					
Richards and Stotis-bury.....E. H. Orcar	70.00	70.00	580.00	595.00	10.00	10.00	32.50	32.50	36.00	36.00	33.00	60.75	17.00	17.00	21.00	21.00	3.18	1.30	1.30	70.00
Hume and Underwood																					
.....T. H. Clayton	72.00	67.50	550.00	526.00	11.00	10.00	31.10	29.60	40.00	40.00	35.00	35.00	18.00	13.00	23.00	14.00	4.10	1.24	1.00
Sprague Ct.....	65.00	65.00	500.00	505.50	9.00	9.00	28.25	28.25	40.00	40.00	33.00	54.24	17.00	17.00	20.00	20.00	2.00	1.13	1.13	3.90
.....I. A. Smith																					
Rich Hill.....	75.00	70.60	600.00	588.90	10.00	7.00	33.75	28.00	46.00	46.00	37.00	37.00	19.00	14.54	22.00	12.00	1.35	1.35
.....Perry Long																					
Butler.....	80.00	80.00	600.00	450.00	12.00	5.00	34.00	27.00	47.00	25.00	36.00	20.00	19.00	5.00	24.00	5.00	1.36
.....W. D. Amack																					
Passaic Ct.....	60.00	51.36	450.00	376.64	9.00	8.00	25.50	25.00	38.00	20.00	30.00	22.85	15.00	19.00	1.22
.....L. A. Blevans																					
Archie Ct.....	70.00	70.00	500.00	501.50	11.00	11.00	28.50	28.50	48.00	48.00	35.00	35.00	19.00	19.00	21.00	21.00	4.18	1.14	1.14	51.00
.....W. B. Buel																					
Spruce Ct.....	75.00	73.00	500.00	486.05	11.00	7.00	28.75	27.95	52.00	45.00	39.00	39.00	22.00	21.0082	1.15	1.15	94.65
.....J. W. Riley																					
Chilhowie Ct.....	70.00	70.00	530.00	540.00	10.00	7.00	30.00	30.50	51.00	40.00	34.00	34.00	19.00	12.00	22.00	14.14	1.20	1.22
.....A. S. Swanson																					
Huntingdale Ct.....	70.00	70.00	527.50	533.50	10.00	10.00	29.83	32.00	46.00	50.57	34.00	34.00	19.00	22.00	22.00	22.00	2.18	1.20	1.00
.....W. F. Briggs																					
Windsor.....	100.00	100.00	800.00	800.00	14.00	14.00	45.00	45.00	67.00	67.00	50.00	50.00	30.00	30.00	40.00	40.00	1.80	1.80	310.00
.....F. E. Gordon																					
Windsor Ct.....	60.00	60.00	525.00	530.00	9.00	9.00	29.25	29.50	38.00	38.00	32.00	32.00	17.00	17.00	20.00	20.00	1.00	1.17	1.20	53.80
.....J. K. Speer																					
Calhoun Ct.....	75.00	75.00	550.00	550.00	11.00	11.00	31.25	31.25	55.00	55.00	32.00	38.00	22.00	22.00	23.00	23.00	2.25	1.25	1.10	17.50	62.85
.....R. J. Kyle																					
Clinton.....	90.00	90.00	800.00	808.00	12.00	12.00	44.50	44.90	64.00	24.00	50.00	50.00	27.00	20.12	34.00	15.00	1.78	1.80
.....W. C. Bewley																					
Montrose Ct.....	70.00	70.00	500.00	500.00	10.00	5.00	28.50	25.00	50.00	45.00	40.00	40.00	19.00	23.00	1.14
.....B. A. McKnight																					
Appleton City Ct.....	70.00	70.00	515.00	515.00	9.00	9.00	29.25	29.25	40.00	40.00	32.00	56.00	16.00	16.00	32.00	22.00	2.20	1.17	1.15	32.00
.....																					
Eldorado Springs.....	80.00	80.00	625.00	625.00	12.00	3.00	35.25	35.00	50.00	50.00	40.00	40.00	21.00	5.00	26.00	15.00	1.41	1.41	178.50
.....J. R. Strong																					
TOTAL	1672.00	1652.46	12572.50	12300.29	235.00	202.00	702.23	694.20	1100.00	1005.67	850.00	953.84	445.00	333.62	525.00	355.66	34.99	28.49	24.46	21.40	1094.93

Carthage District. W. C. Hill, P. E.																				
Carthage																				
.....S. G. Keys	112.00	112.00	800.00	800.00	11.00	11.00	45.60	45.75	70.00	70.00	54.00	54.00	28.00	15.00	25.00	10.00	3.00	1.82	1.83	.....
Carterville																				
.....O. E. Vivian	112.00	112.00	800.00	800.00	11.00	11.00	45.60	45.60	70.00	70.00	54.00	54.00	28.00	28.00	25.00	25.00	3.36	1.82	1.86	..... 444.00
Webb City																				
.....J. H. Cleaver	140.00	140.00	1000.00	1100.00	16.00	16.00	57.00	57.00	100.00	100.00	80.00	80.00	41.00	41.00	37.00	24.00	1.00	2.28	.....	798.91
Joplin																				
.....F. M. Burton	196.00	196.00	1400.00	1400.00	16.00	16.00	79.80	79.80	100.00	100.00	80.00	163.55	41.00	41.00	37.00	37.00	5.00	3.19	3.20	..... 593.83
Neosho																				
.....E. E. Swanson	112.00	112.00	800.00	800.00	13.00	13.00	45.60	45.60	80.00	80.00	62.00	62.00	32.00	32.00	29.00	29.00	.....	1.82	1.82	25.00 224.70
Seneca and Racine																				
.....W. M. Smith	70.00	70.00	500.00	500.00	5.00	5.00	28.50	28.50	32.00	32.00	24.00	24.00	13.00	13.00	12.00	12.00	4.83	1.14	1.15	.....
Granby and Diamond																				
.....A. G. Moore	49.00	38.40	350.00	269.47	4.00	2.00	19.95	13.45	27.00	2.50	22.00	18.50	11.00	.....	10.00	.....	.....	.80	.80	5.00
Duenweg Ct.																				
.....	56.00	32.50	400.00	284.50	4.00	.....	22.80	15.85	27.00	.....	22.00	5.55	11.00	.....	10.00	.....	.....	.91	.60	.....
Newtonia Ct.																				
.....J. E. Owens	91.00	91.00	650.00	650.00	9.00	9.00	37.05	37.05	55.00	55.00	42.00	42.00	23.00	23.00	20.00	20.00	.....	1.48	1.48	..... 133.48
Pineville Ct.																				
.....J. E. Harvey	56.00	31.10	400.00	231.45	4.00	4.00	22.80	13.00	27.00	27.00	22.00	22.00	11.00	.....	10.00	.....	.....	.91	1.00	..... 55.00
Southwest City Ct.																				
.....	56.00	38.75	400.00	294.18	5.00	.....	22.80	10.00	32.00	.....	24.00	11.00	13.00	.....	12.00	.....	.....	.91	.....	50.00
Jasper Ct.																				
.....	60.00	42.10	425.00	304.35	6.00	5.00	24.25	17.00	35.00	31.00	27.00	27.00	14.00	8.00	13.00	8.00	.....	.97	1.00	.....
Sarcoile Ct.																				
.....W. D. Kelley	70.00	70.00	500.00	500.00	8.00	8.00	28.50	28.50	50.00	50.00	38.00	85.25	20.00	20.00	18.00	18.00	1.00	1.14	1.25	..... 161.60
Pierce City Ct.																				
.....C. C. Berry	84.00	76.37	650.00	544.53	8.00	2.00	36.70	23.00	50.00	4.00	38.00	38.00	20.00	2.00	18.00	1.00	.....	1.00	1.00	.....
Monett																				
.....C. N. Scrivener	112.00	112.00	800.00	800.00	12.00	10.00	45.00	60.40	80.00	50.00	61.00	40.00	32.00	32.00	27.00	3.40	.....	1.83	1.60	.....
Cassville Ct.																				
.....P. Sinclair	60.00	48.55	425.00	327.00	5.00	3.00	24.25	9.00	32.00	15.00	24.00	24.00	13.00	16.00	12.00	2.00	.....	.97	1.00	.....
Powell Ct.																				
.....W. A. Patton	21.00	18.00	150.00	127.40	2.00	2.00	8.55	7.40	12.00	9.00	6.00	6.00	5.00	2.00	4.00	2.00	.....	.60	.60	.....
Miller Ct.																				
.....L. B. Edwards	70.00	56.45	500.00	406.55	6.00	3.00	28.50	23.15	35.00	25.27	27.00	27.00	14.00	7.00	13.00	2.00	.....	1.14	1.00	.....
Lawrenceburg Ct.																				
.....R. B. Cooper	35.00	22.30	250.00	186.35	3.00	.....	14.25	.....	22.00	.....	16.00	17.77	9.00	.....	7.00	.....	.....	.57	.....	.....
S. Greenfield Ct.																				
.....	63.00	49.55	450.00	356.41	6.00	6.00	25.65	20.80	35.00	35.00	27.00	27.00	14.00	11.00	13.00	6.00	1.75	1.03	1.00	.....
Jerico																				
.....A. J. Gearheard	63.00	56.00	450.00	425.00	5.00	5.00	25.65	24.07	32.00	32.00	24.00	24.00	13.00	13.00	12.00	12.00	1.81	1.03	1.00	.....
Jerico Ct.																				
.....R. E. Carson	45.00	26.08	325.00	188.45	4.00	2.00	18.50	10.75	27.00	15.00	22.00	22.00	11.00	3.00	10.00	2.00	.....	.74	.51	.....
Montevallo																				
.....M. Larkin	63.00	47.00	450.00	337.00	6.00	6.00	25.65	16.85	35.00	35.00	27.00	27.00	14.00	14.00	13.00	13.00	.....	1.03	1.03	..... 25.00
Lamar Ct.																				
.....G. H. Green	45.00	41.40	335.00	281.10	6.00	5.00	19.16	16.00	35.00	20.00	27.00	20.00	14.00	6.50	13.00	5.50	.....	.65	.65	.....
TOTAL	1796.00	1639.55	12875.00	11913.74	175.00	144.00	733.55	628.97	1100.00	871.98	850.00	921.62	445.00	330.50	400.00	237.90	20.75	29.13	25.41	30.00 2486.51

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NAME OF CHARGE PREACHER IN CHARGE	PRESIDING ELDER		PREACHERS IN CHARGE		BISHOPS		CONFERENCE CLAIMANTS		FOREIGN MISSIONS		DOMESTIC MISSIONS		CHURCH EXTENSION		EDUCATION		AMER. BIBLE SOCIETY	PRINTING MINUTES		SUPERANNUATES ENDMT. FUND	Paid for Objects Not Elsewhere Reported
	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid		Ass'd	Paid		
Springfield District. W. P. Buckner, P. E. Springfield St. Paul.. .....C. H. Briggs	250.00	250.00	1800.00	1800.00	30.00	30.00	102.50	105.00	180.00	180.00	150.00	168.90	65.00	65.00	60.00	60.00	25.00	4.10	4.10	30.00	1154.76
Springfield Campbell St.....J. C. Given	125.00	119.32	1000.00	957.92	15.00	14.00	56.25	54.00	85.00	77.00	55.00	50.00	30.00	28.00	25.00	23.00	.....	2.25	2.25	.....	.....
Springfield Dale St... .....J. T. Swanson	80.00	40.00	600.00	400.00	6.00	.....	34.00	34.00	30.00	30.00	18.00	.....	15.00	15.00	15.00	4.00	.....	1.36	.....	.....	.....
Elwood Ct..... .....R. W. Shemwell	65.00	57.00	585.00	509.00	8.00	8.00	32.50	28.25	48.00	48.00	32.00	32.00	20.00	17.00	18.00	9.50	.50	1.30	1.00	.....	.....
Williard and Ebenezer.....R. N. Allen	65.00	65.00	550.00	550.00	9.00	9.00	30.75	29.50	48.00	48.00	34.00	34.00	20.00	20.00	18.00	22.32	.....	1.23	1.18	5.00	.....
Morrisville..... .....J. L. Sullens	110.00	93.20	800.00	688.25	14.00	12.00	45.50	40.00	80.00	96.00	40.00	40.00	30.00	20.00	25.00	13.25	.02	1.82	1.50	.....	106.00
Morrisville Ct..... .....Jacob Shook	60.00	43.65	500.00	343.60	8.00	5.00	28.00	28.00	45.00	30.00	35.00	22.00	18.00	10.00	18.00	10.00	.....	1.12	1.15	.....	.....
Fair Grove Ct..... .....J. W. Ogdon	65.00	65.00	535.00	618.00	9.00	9.09	30.00	34.00	60.00	60.25	40.00	40.25	25.00	25.25	25.00	25.25	3.09	1.20	.70	.....	1.01
Ash Grove and Bois D'Arc.....L. L. Pinnell	65.00	60.00	600.00	575.00	7.00	4.00	33.25	25.00	48.00	5.00	35.00	24.55	20.00	.....	18.00	.....	.....	1.33	.....	.....	103.50
Ozark Ct..... .....C. B. Day	70.00	70.00	600.00	601.00	9.00	9.00	33.50	33.50	40.00	40.00	30.00	30.00	20.00	20.00	18.00	18.00	.....	1.34	1.34	5.00	.....
Aldrich Ct..... .....H. M. White	60.00	30.00	240.00	170.51	6.00	2.00	15.00	12.00	35.00	10.00	30.00	6.20	15.00	15.00	15.00	5.00	.....	.60	1.09	.....	.....
Mount Grove and Nor- wood.....J. B. Ellis	50.00	40.50	500.00	391.30	6.00	3.00	22.00	10.00	35.00	15.00	25.00	10.00	12.00	4.00	12.00	2.00	.....	.83	.....	.....	.....
Marshfield..... .....W. H. Hargrove	65.00	65.00	550.00	560.00	9.00	9.00	30.75	30.75	56.00	56.00	40.00	40.00	20.00	20.00	20.00	20.00	1.00	1.23	1.33	.....	265.02
Buffalo Ct..... .....F. W. Fesferman	40.00	32.80	305.00	257.83	5.00	2.00	17.25	14.50	25.00	12.00	18.00	9.00	12.00	4.08	12.00	.....	.....	.69	1.00	.....	.....
Niangua..... .....J. J. Kellar	50.00	40.00	611.00	393.85	5.00	5.00	33.05	19.65	45.00	40.00	30.00	27.00	15.00	12.00	12.00	10.00	1.00	1.32	.90	.....	.....
Iebanon..... .....J. H. Pritchett	80.00	80.00	600.00	600.00	5.00	5.00	34.00	34.00	50.00	75.00	45.00	52.50	15.00	15.00	13.00	13.00	5.00	1.36	1.36	6.00	.....
Stoutland..... .....T. W. Barlow	50.00	25.05	400.00	205.05	3.00	3.00	22.50	10.25	25.00	.....	20.00	.....	8.00	.....	10.00	.....	.....	.90	.40	.....	.....
Dixon and Waynes- ville.....W. O. Troutman	60.00	51.00	400.00	349.00	4.00	4.00	23.00	20.00	35.00	35.00	30.00	30.00	12.00	12.00	13.00	18.00	.....	.92	1.00	.....	150.00
Richland Ct..... .....G. W. Parker	35.00	23.50	280.00	100.73	2.00	1.00	15.75	6.21	17.00	5.00	15.00	5.00	8.00	3.00	10.00	.....	.....	.63	.79	.....	.....
Lowry City Ct..... .....J. J. Hill	50.00	47.54	500.00	437.01	6.00	5.00	27.50	25.00	35.00	12.50	30.00	30.00	15.00	5.00	13.00	5.00	2.00	1.10	1.00	.....	.....
Roscoe Ct..... .....W. K. White	35.00	19.35	355.00	182.44	3.00	2.00	19.50	9.20	15.00	2.50	10.00	25.81	7.00	1.25	10.00	.....	.....	.78	1.00	.....	.....
Cross Timbers Ct..... .....H. P. Tuck	60.00	44.00	505.00	350.00	5.00	5.00	28.25	17.00	30.00	23.00	25.00	25.00	15.00	3.00	13.00	3.00	2.00	1.13	.50	.....	.....
Bolivar and Walnut Grove.....C. H. Cleaver	45.00	40.45	525.00	370.80	5.00	1.00	28.50	21.56	35.00	.....	25.00	30.85	15.00	1.00	13.00	1.00	.....	1.14	.....	.....	31.27
TOTAL	1635.00	1402.36	13341.00	11432.19	179.00	147.09	723.30	641.37	1102.00	1027.06	802.00	751.06	432.00	305.58	406.00	262.32	42.59	27.49	22.34	41.00	1821.56

Western District.																					
J. E. Alexander, P. D.																					
Kansas City, Kansas.																					
.....A. N. James	68.00	68.00	800.00	803.23	10.00	10.00	43.40	43.40	41.50	52.00	41.00	41.00	22.00	22.00	17.50	17.50	.....	1.74	1.75	.....	232.54
Rosedale and Belview.																					
.....C. W. Litchfield	63.00	63.00	550.00	500.00	9.00	9.00	35.65	33.15	36.50	36.50	30.00	30.00	17.00	17.00	17.50	17.50	.....	1.43	1.35	.....	355.00
Wyandotte Ct.....																					
.....J. W. Payne	43.00	43.00	450.00	436.00	5.00	5.00	24.65	24.65	26.50	26.50	26.00	26.00	15.00	15.00	11.50	11.50	1.35	.95	.75	.....	74.92
Oskaloosa Ct.....																					
.....	53.00	42.60	.....	35.00	8.00	.....	.....	4.00	21.50	17.00	26.00	4.00	15.00	.....	9.50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	7.90
Julian Ct.....																					
.....	68.00	68.00	500.00	458.50	9.50	9.50	28.40	28.25	45.50	45.50	30.00	30.00	21.00	21.00	17.50	17.50	5.00	1.14	1.14	.....	.....
Fairmont																					
.....G. C. Loch	53.00	53.00	475.00	464.55	9.00	9.00	26.40	26.50	31.50	31.50	34.00	34.00	18.00	18.00	17.50	17.50	5.00	1.06	1.50	.....	53.45
Holton Ct.....																					
.....H. J. Miller	58.00	58.00	460.00	578.00	9.00	9.00	25.90	24.10	26.50	26.50	36.00	36.00	18.00	18.00	15.50	15.00	2.00	1.04	1.05	.....	68.00
Kickapoo and Potter..																					
.....A. C. Clendening	53.00	53.00	450.00	424.50	9.00	9.00	22.65	17.15	31.50	31.50	36.00	36.00	18.00	10.50	15.50	5.00	2.10	.90	.80	.....	93.30
Effingham Ct.....																					
.....C. C. Howard	53.00	50.00	287.50	300.00	8.00	1.00	17.03	15.00	26.50	14.00	31.00	31.00	16.00	.....	13.50	.....	.....	.68	.....	.....	.....
Atchison																					
.....J. A. Jared	68.00	68.00	500.00	500.00	10.00	10.00	28.40	28.50	36.50	36.50	36.00	36.00	20.00	20.00	17.50	17.50	1.00	1.14	1.15	10.00	142.00
Council Grove.....																					
.....F. M. Hayes	68.00	65.00	375.00	345.00	10.00	10.00	22.15	20.00	36.50	20.00	35.00	70.00	20.00	5.00	17.50	5.00	.....	.80	.....	.....	.....
Kelso Ct.....																					
.....W. A. Brewer	43.00	30.43	280.00	365.85	7.00	1.00	16.15	15.00	25.50	13.00	22.00	13.00	12.00	1.00	8.00	1.25	.....	.64	.75	.....	20.00
Augusta																					
.....B. F. Coburn	53.00	53.75	325.00	287.00	8.00	.....	18.90	18.00	29.50	29.50	28.00	28.00	19.00	.....	10.00	.....	.....	.75	.....	.....	26.60
Arkansas City Ct.....																					
.....	...	18.65	.....	10.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	25.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	13.75
Elk City Ct.....																					
.....W. E. Tull	53.00	53.00	400.00	305.00	8.00	3.60	22.55	22.50	31.50	12.00	25.00	25.00	22.00	22.00	38.00	38.00	.....	1.56	1.00	.....	450.21
Bucyrus and Stillwell																					
.....T. C. Puckett	63.00	59.00	500.00	500.00	8.50	8.50	28.15	28.15	35.50	40.63	30.00	30.00	13.00	4.00	10.00	4.00	.....	.90	.90	.....	58.00
Hillsdale Ct.....																					
.....G. M. Blaine	53.00	43.72	385.00	344.42	8.50	8.50	21.90	19.25	26.50	23.50	22.00	22.00	19.00	19.00	17.50	17.50	.....	1.13	1.35	.....	67.10
Corbin Ct.....																					
.....R. F. Lyon	53.00	53.00	350.00	455.00	8.50	8.50	20.15	19.50	31.50	31.50	23.00	23.00	18.00	18.00	10.00	10.00	.....	.88	.87	.....	.....
Bronson Ct.....																					
.....Ira Karr	43.00	43.00	260.00	292.46	6.00	2.00	15.15	15.00	24.50	7.50	18.00	13.00	17.00	17.00	10.00	10.00	1.00	.80	1.00	.....	53.37
.....																					
.....	50.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	18.00	5.00	10.00	2.00	.....	.60	.60	.....	46.97
TOTAL	1059.00	986.15	7397.50	7404.51	151.00	113.60	417.68	402.10	565.00	523.13	529.00	537.50	319.00	210.50	246.00	169.25	17.45	16.71	14.96	10.00	1313.50
Name of District.																					
Presiding Elder.																					
Kansas City.....																					
.....Z. M. Williams	2420.00	2399.80	21215.00	20902.23	365	363.00	1131.75	1177.25	1950.00	1950.00	1300.00	1315.50	780.00	780.00	700.00	700.00	.....	47.27	47.89	62.55	71302.78
Lexington																					
.....G. J. Warren	1690.00	1660.00	13379.00	13196.30	311	266.24	753.45	720.80	1505.00	1255.35	1080.00	1042.80	525.00	389.28	681.00	413.35	...	30.14	23.91	40.70	2421.38
Marshall																					
.....R. S. Hunter	1800.00	1795.25	13640.00	14400.59	330	322.00	772.00	770.60	1530.00	1526.00	1120.00	1169.20	516.00	511.35	696.00	680.00	.....	30.88	26.39	75.48	4187.73
Nevada																					
.....W. A. McClanahan	1672.00	1657.46	12572.50	12300.29	235	202.00	712.23	694.20	1100.00	1005.67	850.00	953.84	445.00	333.62	525.00	355.86	.....	23.49	24.46	34.99	1094.99
Carthage																					
.....W. C. Hill	1796.00	1639.55	12875.00	11913.74	175	144.00	733.55	628.97	1100.00	871.93	850.00	921.62	445.00	330.50	400.00	237.90	.....	29.13	25.41	20.75	2486.51
Springfield																					
.....W. P. Buckner	1635.00	1402.36	13341.00	11432.19	179	147.09	723.30	641.37	1102.00	1027.06	802.00	751.06	432.00	305.53	406.00	262.32	.....	27.49	22.34	42.59	1821.56
Western																					
.....J. A. Alexander	1059.00	986.15	7397.50	7404.51	151	113.60	417.68	402.10	565.00	523.13	529.00	537.50	319.00	210.50	246.00	169.25	.....	16.71	14.96	17.45	1313.50
TOTAL	12072.00	11535.57	94420.00	91518.85	1746	1557.93	5293.96	5034.39	8852.00	8159.19	6531.00	6691.53	3462.00	2800.83	3654.00	2818.48	206.61	210.11	185.30	142.50	12028.45

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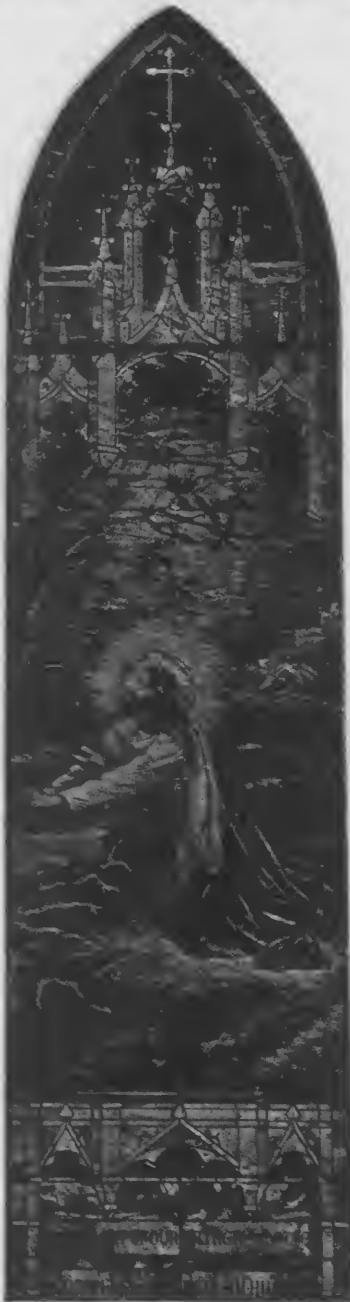


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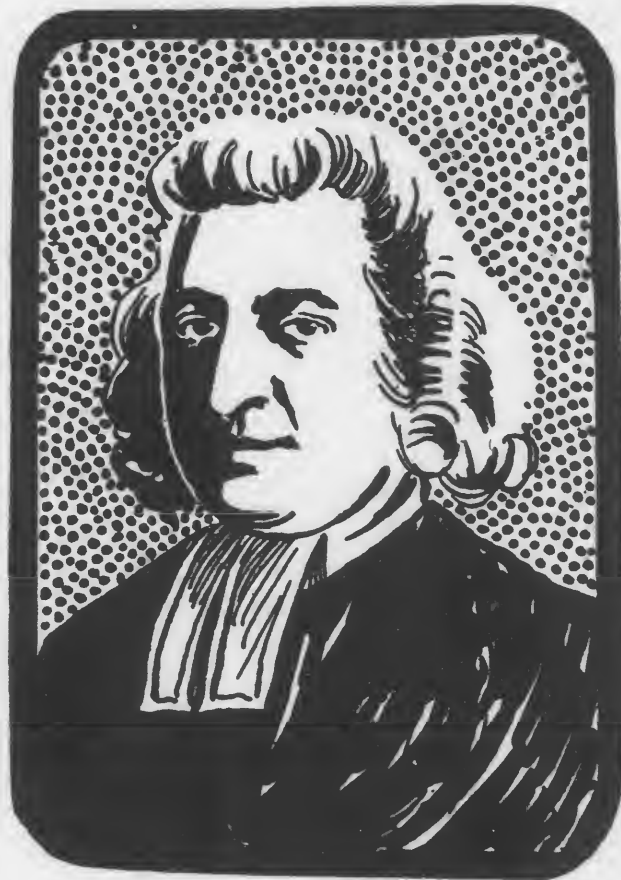
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